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ANGLICAN CHURCH SCHOOLS

The Synod in Montreal Favors the Church Having Her Own Schools.

Tramps Fool a Policeman in Peterboro—Minor Canadian Matters.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—For two days the Anglican synod has been debating the question of religious teaching in schools. On Saturday the committee on education brought in a report recommending more religious instruction in schools. Rev. Whitcombe, of Hamilton, moved that the report be referred back to the committee, with instructions to enlarge it by the addition of the following: "The church, having in view her highest interests, should, as soon as possible wherever practicable, secure the establishment of her own schools." The amendment was debated at great length and finally adopted.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—Duplesse's tannery and McKane's boot and shoe factory were destroyed by fire last night. The loss is about $25,000, covered by insurance. A large number of employes will be out of work in consequence.

Peterboro, Sept. 18.—This place is infested with tramps, and their acts are constantly becoming bolder. On Sunday morning a lady living in Otonabee was assaulted by a tramp while on her way to church. This caused County Constable Moore to keep his eyes open, and yesterday afternoon he heard that there was a colony of tramps camping outside Ashburnham. Two special constables were sworn in and the trio started off and found three tramps asleep and succeeded in handcuffing them before they awoke, and then marched them along the Canadian Pacific railway tracks. After a short distance they met a well dressed stranger, who making some remark about being glad the tramps were arrested, pulled out a revolver and commenced firing at the constables, and in the confusion that ensued the stranger and tramps escaped to the woods. They have not yet been recaptured.

KING LEOPOLD'S LEGACY

From Stanley More Than the Former Was Led to Expect.

London, Sept. 18.—The indications are that the powers will be invited to interfere in the affairs of Belgium and the Congo Free State. Feeling in England regarding King Leopold's African venture was never very favorable, and the execution last January of the English trader Stokes without, it is alleged, the observance of the due process of law, excited much indignation here, which found expression in the late session of parliament when the foreign office was urged to demand an explanation.

Reports which have reached here in private letters state that a condition of virtual anarchy prevails in the Congo Free State, that in several instances Belgian troops have been defeated, slaughtered by the natives, and that two Englishmen have been murdered there and eaten by the savages. All these events have intensified the feeling here, which is given voice to in an editorial in the St. James' Gazette this afternoon. After reciting the facts alluded to the Gazette says: "A troublous time is clearly at hand for King Leopold, whose African responsibilities are far greater than Mr. Stanley led him to exepect they would be."

Geoffrey Perkins, an American who represented himself as a lawyer and journalist, has been sentenced to ten years' penal servitude on a charge of levying and collecting blackmail. Perkins was indicted in December last.

THE COAL CITY.

A Movement in the Direction of Civic Waterworks.

Nanaimo, Sept. 18.—At a special meeting of the council yesterday afternoon it was decided to submit the water works by-law to the ratepayers on Saturday, Sept. 28. The by-law is merely to obtain the sanction of the ratepayers to offer $65,000 for the present plant. These figures will not be accepted by the company, but the offer will have the effect of causing them to disclose what is a fair figure by submiting it to arbitration. It has been intimated that they will not submit to arbitration and in that event the city will be at liberty to construct their own works.

Ald. Dobeson's cemetery amendment by-law was withdrawn by request of the council.

The Sunflower concert given at St. Andrew's church on Monday night was a very interesting event. The musical part of the programme was exceptionally good, as the best voices in the city were heard on this occasion.

The "Savage Club" is the name given to a new affair that has been started at St. Paul's church. The object of the club is to promote social intercourse.

HONOLULU'S CHOLERA SCARE

Authorities Not Quite Certain Whether It Is Asiatic Cholera.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The Hawaiian mail has been landed from the steamer Rio Janeiro, bringing the following: There have been 59 cases of cholera up to date at Honolulu, with 46 deaths since the scourge broke out. Two white people were attacked yesterday and have since died. C. L. Dodge, business manager of the Hawaiian Star, formerly of San Diego, Cal., was one of the victims. The city is in a state of alarm; business is suspended. A house to house inspection is being made, and radical measures will be adopted to stamp out the disease. In nearly every case death can be traced to a poisonous fish scourge, which is not believed to be Asiatic cholera. No Chinese or Japanese have been attacked although there are thousands in Honolulu.

The steamship Rio Janeiro has been prevented from landing her Japanese freight here and will be taken to San Francisco. The Bennington and Olympia have gone to Lahaina, one of the neighboring islands, as the captains of the vessels are afraid to remain in port. The residents of Lahaina Island positively refuse all passengers or freight from Honolulu to be landed.

THE MISSIONARY MASSACRE.

Chinese Officials Offer Life for Life, and No More.

Shanghai, Sept. 17.—The Chinese officials at Ku Cheng are proving obstinate over the results of the inquiry into the outrages upon missionaries, and are unwilling to sentence the guilty. They offer one life for each European who was killed, and no more.

New York, Sept. 17.—A World special from Foochow says: "The Chinese refuse to execute a single murderer implicated in the massacre of missionaries unless they are assured that with the execution of the men accused all other demands shall cease. The work of the British and American joint commission is therefore stopped. Without the presence of a foreign fleet no punishment for the massacre is probable. The Vegetarians are relying on official sympathy to begin seizing and torturing Christians.

SAN FRANCISCO IS ALIVE

To the Importance of the Most Stringent Quarantine Regulations.

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The members of the state, Oakland and San Francisco boards of health and the United States health officer, met with the mayor to-day and adopted resolutions agreeing to act in concert for the prevention of cholera. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company, which runs to China, and which has been carrying in wooden coffins the bodies of Chinese dying en route, was notified to place such bodies in hermetically sealed caskets.

At a meeting of the board of health to-day the ports of Nagasaki and Yokohama, Japan, were declared infected, and the steamer Rio Janeiro, which arrived from the Orient, was ordered to remain in quarantine until the passengers, mail and cargo could be fumigated. The board also ordered that all mails from infected or suspected ports be fumigated at the quarantine station before being allowed to enter the city.

FALDING GOES WITH PREVOST.

The New Westminster Erring Registrar Also Committed for Trial.

New Westminster, Sept. 18.—W. H. Falding, the Westminster registrar of the supreme court, who went astray, was sent up for trial to-day by Police Magistrate Atkinson. Three charges were preferred against him. For stealing $75 of money deposited with him in the suit of Mills vs. Cosens; $563.27, funds of Johns' estate, and $433 in the suit of Leck and Derosier vs. Cook. Deputy Attorney-General Smith prosecuted and Mr. Henderson appeared for the defence. In the first case evidence was adduced showing that the money was paid by check to Falding, who cashed the check and made no credit deposit in the bank to the account of the suit. In the second case the money was received by Falding and deposited in the bank one day to the credit of Johns' estate and withdrawn the next day. In the third case the money was deposited in the bank and about two-thirds of it withdrawn later without any order of the court to pay out.

At the conclusion of the evidence Falding said he had nothing to say, and the court formally committed him on all the three charges. Application for bail, it is understood, will be made.

—A cold in the throat is cured by using Adams' Tutti Frutti. Refuse imitations.

HALF A MILLION IN SMOKE

And $2,000,000 in Cash Threatened by a Fire in Indianapolis This Morning.

From the Atlantic to the Pacific on a Wheel—Gold for the Treasury.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 18.—The platform adopted by the Republicans at their convention here has reaffirmed the adherence of that party to the policy of a protective tariff. The convention also made this declaration regarding honest money: "We believe that the nation's honor, as well as the material interests of our citizens, demand the maintenance of a national currency, every dollar of which, whether gold, silver or paper notes, shall be of equal value and equal debt-paying or purchasing power; we declare our unalterable opposition to the free and unlimited coinage of silver."

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 18.—Attorney-General Childs has drawn up and will file in Ramsay county district court the application for an injunction against the consummation of the so-called Great Northern and Northern Pacific deal, by the terms of which the former road would practically manage the latter. The ground of application is essentially the same as in the Pearsall suit, recently decided in the United States circuit court, that such consolidation of parallel lines is positively prohibited by the state constitution. The amount involved in the proposed deal is in the neighborhood of $100,000,000.

Providence, R. I., Sept. 18.—Murton Duxbury, who started from the city hall here on April 2nd to ride to San Francisco, returned yesterday after having reduced Train's continental record from 59 days 11 hours, to 48 days, 18 hours. Duxbury is the first wheelman to make the journey from coast to coast and return, and the only one to cross the great American desert.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 18.—At six o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a five storey building on Washington street occupied by Eastman, Schleicher & Lee, and spread immediately to the building adjoining occupied by the Indiana National Bank, thence to the U.S. building. All are a total loss. The fire was also communicated to the five storey Western Union Telegraph building fronting on South Meridian street. This building is now burning. The loss estimated at this hour is $500,000. The Western Union building may be saved, but it has been deserted as the upper floor is destroyed. The firm of Eastman, Schleicher & Lee carried a stock of carpets, etc., valued at $2,000,000. The amount of insurance carried is not known.

In addition to the buildings already reported destroyed, the Blackford building, four storey brick, was damaged by water. The buildings immediately adjacent were flooded with water. The great vault in the Indiana National Bank, which is situated in the rear of the building, and fronting on Pearl street, contains nearly $2,000,000 in cash. The flames licked clean everything around it, but the money is believed to be safe.

Dodge, Neb., Sept. 18.—This town has been almost wiped out by fire. Forty business houses have been burned with their contents, and as many residences. Assistance from the neighboring towns arrived too late to be of service. There was a fierce wind blowing at the time. The property was mainly well insured.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 18.—Nine companies of the Tennessee state guards left last night for Chattanooga to be joined there by other companies to participate in the national park dedication. About 1,500 troops, infantry and artillery, will be on hand.

Chatanooga, Tenn., Sept. 18.—Tens of thousands of people, natives and visitors, attended the dedication of Ohio's monument at Chickamauga battle-field to-day. The chief address was by Governor McKinley, of Ohio.

New York, Sept. 18.—The First National Bank, Brooklyn, deposited $250,000 in gold at the sub-treasury to-day in exchange for greenbacks.

FREE CIGARS FOR SOLDEIRS.

Havana Journalists Lavish with Cigars and Cigarettes to Spaniards.

Havana, Sept. 18.—The steamer Santa Barbara has arrived with 1000 soldiers and 37 officers from Tetuan, Morocco. The troops were given a splendid reception. The newspaper proprietors of the city distributed among the newcomers 150,000 cigars and 20,000 packages of cigarettes.

The column of Col. Ruiz, operating in the province of Puerto Principe, has had several skirmishes with the insurgents; seven insurgents were killed and twelve wounded, and of the troops seven were wounded. The official report states that Captain Mora, with 50 infantry and 20 cavalry engaged the insurgents to the number of 250, and after a hard fight forced them to retire. The insurgents lost four killed and three wounded. One soldier was killed and five wounded.

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DURRANT GROWS SERIOUS.

Now Nothing Funny in the Proceedings to Entertain His Parents.

The Coils of Damaging Testimony Tightening Around Him Make Him Sober.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—At last Thursday's session of the Durrant trial, when the court was adjourned until yesterday morning, Mrs. Alice Dorgan was on the stand undergoing cross-examination by the defense. Since then witness' mother had died, and as the funeral took place to-day her testimony was deferred, and another school friend of Blanche Lamont was placed on the stand by the prosecution, Miss May Lanigan. She testified that she knew Mrs. Dorgan and Blanche Lamont. She had last seen Blanche on April 3. She left school with Miss Pleasant, now Mrs. Dorgan, a few minutes after 3 o'clock on the afternoon of April 3. They walked up Powell street to California, two blocks. She saw Blanche Lamont on the east side of the Powell street dummy, going towards Market. Blanche was accompanied by a young man Miss Lanigan identified as Durrant. She was particularly impressed by this because the rules of the school discountenances girls going to or from school with young men. She described Durrant's costume minutely on that occasion. On cross-examination the defense tried to show that the identification was imperfect because witness could not see all his face as he sat on the car. Witness said she could see his face from the nose down, and was positive in her identification. Then followed numerous questions in the same strain, all put with the purpose of getting witness to acknowledge that she was not in a position to make a positive identification of Durrant at that time and place. Miss Lanigan, however, said she recognized him unmistakably from many characteristics, particularly his long hair and light mustache. Under the questions of the defense witness told how she had gone to the city prison to see if the prisoner who had been arrested was the same man she saw with Blanche. Detectives had told her to identify the young man if she recognized him; if not, to say nothing at all. Durrant was then brought into the room of the chief of police, and witness positively identified him. Through a long series of questions the defense tried to shake witness' identification, but she was firm in her opinion, and was a good witness for the prosecution.

Mrs. Mary Vogel, the next witness, was asked by the district attorney: "Which of these persons present is the defendant?" "That young man sitting there," unhesitatingly replied the witness. Judge Murphy wanted a more positive identification. Amid great excitement witness left the stand, walked to where Durrant was sitting, and, touching him on the shoulder, said: "Here he is. That's the man."

Durrant was the only man in the court room who showed no signs of excitement. Throughout the scrutiny of the witness he sat in perfect apparent calmness, although, now that the case has every day a more serious aspect, he holds no more humorous conversation with his parents. Mrs. Vogel then told how from her window she watched Theodore Durrant walking up and down in front of the normal school. He began his waiting at 7 minutes past two, and remained until the school came out at 3. She was suspicious of his appearance and intentions, and watched him through her opera glasses. When school was out two girls came out. Durrant approached them, lifting his hat. All three boarded a Powell street car going towards Market street. One girl went inside the car and one with Durrant sat on the dummy. She told her husband of the young man's conduct. She afterwards recognized the prisoner's picture in the papers. Mrs. Vogel was very indignant under cross examination, considering any doubt cast upon her testimony as a personal insult. The defense gained nothing by the cross examination. She was positive beyond a doubt that the prisoner was the man she had seen going off with a girl dressed as was Blanche Lamont on the last afternoon she was seen alive.

Mrs. Vogel explained her long and careful watch by saying that she suspected from Durrant's actions that he was a burglar. A day of two before there had been a burglary, and as she had $300 in the house, she thought it advisable to keep a careful watch. The witness said that she was 44 years old had excellent eyesight and had never worn glasses in her life. After cross examination lasting for three hours Mrs Vogel departed, her testimony unimpaired.

As the trial progresses, strong evidence is being brought up against the defendant. The evidence introduced relative to Durrant's whereabouts on the afternoon of April 4th is contradictory to his statement on the night of his arrest, that he had seen the murdered girl after he had left her on the way to school on the morning of the 2nd. Martin Quinlan, an attorney, to-day supplied another link testifying that he saw Durrant and a young lady walking on the street toward Emanuel church about 4:10 p.m. on April 3. The defence tried to impeach his reliability and managed to get before the jury a statement that Quinlan had twice been arrested for assault with intent to murder, and once for another crime. The court severely reprimanded the defendant's attorneys, who were obliged to admit to the jury that Quinlan had been acquitted on each charge. David Clarke, who accompanied Quinlan, then corroborated all Quinlan had said regarding Durrant.

Next will probably come the story of Mrs. Leak, who saw them enter the church; then the reluctant tale of the organist to whom Durrant appeared, dusty and flustered, and said he had been overcome by gas. After this is still the pawnbroker's story of the attempt to pawn the dead girl's rings, and the other bits of corroborative evidence to bolster up the main case.

Even in the morning when the women in the corridors had broken the official cordon and were being hurried back with loud hallooing, Durrant's was almost the only head which did not turn towards the door. The sounds were the sounds of a riot, but a riot seemed to matter not at all to the man most concerned in the outcome of such an affair. During the day a maniac shrieked wildly while being put in a prison van in the area below. All eyes except those of Durrant were agog with inquiry. When family friends come in he greets them cordially.

To-day was notable as showing Lawyer Deuprey in the role of cross-examiner. Hitherto General Dickinson has borne this burden and has worked hard to pick flaws and accentuate inconsistencies in the stories told by the prosecution's witnesses. Dickinson is persistent and dogged but he does not fire up much. He is not pyrotechnic. With the mild-mannered district attorney on one side and Dickinson on the other there are few objections or interruptions and very little fighting with the court. But when old Mrs. Crossett was brought on in the afternoon, supported on the arm of her son, Deuprey shifted over into Dickinson's place, and prepared to make things more interesting. He did. Before the day was over he had become quite angry, and roughly badgered the old lady, and had been sharply reprimanded by the court. He entered a snappy objection to the reprimand, noted an exception to it, and altogether put more life into the case than it has had for days.

THE BUSINESS SITUATION

Not Seriously Affected by the Gold Export—Free Silver.

New York, Sept. 17.—The Evening Post's Wall street review says:—As far as the general situation is concerned today's course of events show a slight reaction from that of yesterday. For instance, the money call rate, which many institutions yesterday held firm at 2½ ruled no higher than 2 per cent. today. Foreign houses bought more lightly in our stock market and the pressure of sterling bills from this source slackened materially. As a consequence, actual rates for sight sterling exchange was held a trifle firmer than at yesterday's close. Even this morning, however, some sales were made at $4.88½, a rate hardly more than covering expenses in remittance of gold against current sales of sterling, and this was the bid rate at the close. As a matter of fact, the large shippers seem to be making little effort in that direction. Sterling bankers of the syndicate are not likely again to ship this week. The $2,500,000 export of last Saturday was a measure of relief whose influence will not, at once probably, be exhausted. To-day's orders for shipments were small, and scattered bank reimbursements quite counterbalanced withdrawals from the treasury. It should be further observed, however, that the mechanical easing of the strain through a lowering of produce prices, was checked to-day, as the decline in stocks was yesterday. The recovery from the lowest, both in cotton and wheat, began indeed before yesterday's close. It is still an open problem how far a rally in these markets would adversely influence exchange.

The Evening Post's London cable says: Mining stocks were active and stronger to-day. Americans rallied sharply, Louisville and St. Paul leading. The market was fairly supported here, but there was no renewal of purchases here to-day by Kaffir dealers. Rothschild is buying gild freely. It is said to be for Hungary, but the reported destination is a little doubtful.

Special cable and telegraphic dispatches to Bradstreets covering the principal points of accumulation indicate the following changes in available stocks last Saturday compared with the preceding Saturday: Available supplies—Wheat, U. S., and Canada, east of the Rockies, increase 1,900,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decrease 1,560,000; corn, U. S., and Canada east of the Rockies, increase, 148,000; oats, U. S. and Canada east of the Rockies, decrease 207,000.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 18.—The leaders of the various free silver movements were in session at the Auditorium to-day endeavoring to agree upon some plan of unity of purpose and action. There was a dozen different organizations of the bimetallic forces, and three of a national character, the bi-metallic league, the bimetallic union and the general silver committee, originating with the Memphis convention. Judge Miller, president of the latter organization, presided at the conference. General A. J. Warner, of the bi-metallic league, and Col. Merrill, of Montana, representing the bimetallic union, represented their respective organizations. H. W. Harvey attended the meeting and advocated the consolidation of all organizations. Judge Miller was the principal advocate of separate organizations.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Reports to the treasury department show that $250,000 in gold was deposited by a Rochester bank, leaving the true amount of the reserve at the close of business $69,382,528.

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Land Registry Act.

Lot 3 Block XVI; lot 25, block XVIII; lot 12, block XIX; lots 13 and 20, block XX; lot 17, block XXX; lots 20 and 38, block XXXI; lot 26, block XXXIV lot 1, block XXXV; lot 4, block XXXVII; lots 2 and 20, block XXXIX; the easterly 2-3 of lot 21, block XL; lot 13, block XLVIII; lot 2, block L; lot 7, block LI; part of district lot 185, in the city of Vancouver.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to James Charles Prevost, guardian of the estate of Ernest Wilfred Pratt, otherwise known as Ernest Pratt, on the 28th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming the estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

T. O TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of the Application of Peter Steele for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the following portions of Sections XXXI and XXXII., Esquimalt District, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land forming a portion of Section XXXII., Esquimalt District, together known as Lots 20 and 21, according to a survey and plan made by R. Homfray, C. E., and more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at the N. E. corner of said section, thence running westerly along the northern boundary of said section 308 links, thence south 475 links, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of said section, 351 links; thence northward along the said boundary to the point of beginning, 562 links.

Also that piece or parcel of land known as Buckley's Orchard, and forming a portion of Section XXXI. Esquimalt District, more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of the said section 14 feet six inches distant from the N. E. corner of before mentioned Section XXXII., thence running easterly along the said boundary 400 feet, thence southerly and parallel to the eastern boundary of the first above described piece of land 325 feet, thence at right angles west 350 feet, thence north to the point of beginning, 198 feet.

Also all that piece or parcel of land forming another portion of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, bounded as follows, viz.: On the west by the last described piece of land known as Buckley's Orchard, on the south by a line drawn from the south easterly corner of said last described piece to the Craigflower road and parallel to the northern boundary of the said Section XXXI., to the eastward by the Craigflower road, and to the northward by the northern boundary of said Section XXXI.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of indefeasible title to the above lands will be issued to Peter Steele on the 30th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 24, 1895.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
aug31-td Secretary.

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
aug31-td Secretary.

WEILER BROS.

Invite Your Inspection Of Their

Mammoth House-Furnishing Stock.

You will find quite an interesting display of

Furniture,
Carpets,
Fine China,
Crockery,
Glassware.

These goods are purchased in the best Markets, and come to Weiler Bros. direct.

NOTE—Weiler Bros. have the only Carpet Beating Machine in the city, and this machine takes out every bit of dirt. Try it.

THIS IS CHILDREN'S DAY.

Splendid Weather and a Big Crowd Make the Day an Enjoyable One.

Some of the Exhibits that are Deserving of Special Mention—Prize List.

This is children's day at the fair, and a better day could not have been made to order. It was also a civic holiday, and therefore with the children and the citizens who were enabled by the holiday to attend the fair, the crowd was a big one. The children commenced to arrive early in the morning, prepared to make a day of it, and their number was augmented during the afternoon by as many as the cars could carry, and the 1500 pupils of the schools who marched out.

On the whole the day was a great one for the exhibition. The weather was perfect, the crowd was big and everyone was there for enjoyment's sake, and they did enjoy themselves. At 2 o'clock 1000 boys of the public schools gave a very pretty exhibition under the direction of Instructor St. Clair. It consisted of military drill, march past and dumbbell exercise. This was followed by sports for the children, a grand parade of stock and a lacrosse match. Finn's band played during the afternoon.

The travelling dairy, conducted by Mr. Ruddick, is one of the most interest portions of the show. It is always surrounded by a crowd, who are supplied with every information by Mr. Ruddick and his assistant.

To-morrow the horse races commence. All the entries are not yet in, but three good days' sport is guaranteed, there now being 25 horses at work on the track.

No matter how often one goes through the buildings there is always something new to see. The exhibitors are continually improving their displays, and anyhow it is necessary to go through the hall more than once or twice to see everything. Now that the prizes are awarded there is more interest taken in the various articles, which are keenly criticized and their faults and good points discussed.

OKELL & MORRIS PRESERVING COMPANY.

On the ground floor, and near the centre of the building, is one of the prettiest and best arranged exhibits at the fair. It is made up of jams, jellies, marmalades, tutte fruit, lemon, orange and citron peel and candies from the factory of Okell & Morris, the Work street manufacturers. The whole exhibit is crowned with a large glass jar of Bartlett pears, which although put up over twelve months ago look as fresh as if only recently preserved. This season has been the busiest the company has experienced since they began. Six carloads have been shipped already to Winnipeg alone. Many times during the season as high as 10 tons of fruit have been sorted, cleaned and preserved in one day. The market is rapidly increasing. The company sells its products in all parts of British Columbia, the Northwest Territories and as far east as Winnipeg. J. F. & J. Galt, of Winnipeg, one of the largest buyers in the east, has purchased during this season a large amount from this factory. The Hudson Bay Company, Thompson, Codville & Co., Sutherland & Campbell, Turner & McKeand, and McKenzie, Powis & Co. are also buyers. These are amongst the largest and most experienced jobbers of Winnipeg, and their large purchases speak volumes for the quality of the goods manufactured by the Okell & Morris company. This season has been an excellent one for fruit, and it has come to the factory in first class condition. It has all been grown in British Columbia with the exception of peaches and apricots. The superintendent, Mr. W. H. Brice, has had a lengthy experience in the largest manufactories of a similar nature in the old country. He won the gold medal at the international exhibition, London, where most of the manufacturers of the United Kingdom competed. Nor has he been less successful in this country, the company having secured no less than three gold medals and ten diplomas since he has been connected with it. The industry is a local one, uses fruit grown in the province, has a reputation for the knowledge and care displayed in preserving the different fruits and should for these reasons find a ready market, particularly in our own province.

DISPLAY OF CLOTHING.

Messrs. G. C. Shaw and Company, agents for the W. E. Sanford Manufacturing company, of Hamilton, Ont., have an exhibit of clothing manufactured by that firm. The display is a very fine one and well arranged. The aim of this company has been, while not neglecting the cheaper class of goods to make up the choicest and finest goods obtainable in the European market. The exhibit is an unusual one for exhibitions in Victoria, but to judge from the attention it is attracting it is a welcome innovation.

LEVATTE & WARD.

In the right wing on the ground floor and near the centre of the building is a tastefully arranged exhibit of pickles, cider, sauces, vinegar, laundry bluing and inks of all kinds. The exhibitors, Messrs. Levatte & Ward, are the only firm manufacturing ink in this province. It is of excellent quality, and does not fade or rust the pen. But the specialty of the firm is Worcester sauce. This sauce has come rapidly into public favor, the large and increasing sales testifying to the excellent qualities of this article. Their orange cider, a strictly temperance beverage, is of such a palatable nature that over three thousand gallons have already been sold this season in the province. The factory at 110 View street, has every facility for manufacturing the different articles placed on the market. Mr. Levatte, the senior partner, has had considerable experience in his line and personally superintends the work. The firm has been in business but for a short time, but they have already such a large sale that they are kept busy filling the orders, and have a large number of advance orders to be filled. Visitors at the fair will do well to examine this tastefully arranged exhibit. Mr. Levatte, who is present, will give any information that may be desired.

MESTON'S VEHICLES.

Almost all the space in the building immediately behind the exhibition building proper, is occupied by Mr. John Meston, manufacturer and importer of carriages, wagons, phaetons, carts, etc. The display is varied and well chosen, all the vehicles bearing the imprint of first class workmanship. No less than five of these are made to the order of well known residents of the city. One in particular, a lady's phaeton, is worthy of special mention. It was made at Mr. Meston's factory and is complete and substantial in every detail. There is also a lumber wagon having all steel gear. It is lighter, stronger and more durable than that made of wood. The factory, in which there is a steam plant, is situated at 67-69 Broad street. It has every facility for the manufacture of all kinds of conveyances. Mr. Meston produces these almost as cheaply as those of eastern manufacture, with this distinct advantage that the home manufactured article is in every way superior to the cheap importations from the east. Intending purchasers would do well to examine Mr. Meston's exhibit on the grounds or call at the factory, 67-69 Broad street.

THE HORSES.

The horses were looking their best yesterday when the judges were at work awarding the prizes. The judges were Major Hornby, Dr. Taylor and James Todd. They had far from easy work, the many competitors being very closely matched and young thoroughbreds with faultless pedigrees being very much in evidence. A few years ago a standard or thoroughbred horse was hardly known in Victoria and vicinity. Now, however, there are plenty of them. Mr. Rithet has a string of ten mares and colts from the Broadmead farm that it would be hard to beat anywhere on the coast. All have blue blood in their veins and are just a sample of what the Broadmead farm is doing to improve the stock of Vancouver Island. In the string are three thoroughbred mares, one with a colt by imp. Broadmead, the valuable stallion which recently died in California, having been sent down for the fall races. There are two carriage mares, each with colts, a two-year-old carriage colt and a one-year-old colt.

Another string of horses which attracts the attention of lovers of horseflesh and the admiration of the ladies and children, is that from the Cloverdale farm, belonging to the Tolmie estate. At the head of the stable are the standard bred stallion Midgard and the cross-bred stallion Lollard. They are accompanied by several of their progeny, all promising looking youngsters. There are three yearlings, four carriage colts and one Clyde colt.

Although Messrs. Rithet and Tolmie are the most extensive exhibitors they find foemen worthy of their steel among the smaller exhibitors. Frank Adams has undoubtedly the finest looking colt in the yard, and if the opinion of horsemen can be taken for anything, he is the most promising stallion in the country. Although only two years old, he already stands almost as high as his sire, the celebrated Ha Ha. He is out of Mr. Adams' mare Bird of Freedom.

Mr. Bowker has on exhibition his well known mare Cricket, accompanied by a yearling and filly, both by Christmas. They make a very pretty trio. John Hollingshead shows Barnacle, Laura West and Nanoose, and G. D. Adams a very pretty little black mare. Mr. West has several heavy horses and Mr. Dalby his stallion Republican. Mr. W. J. McKeon shows a stallion, mare and colt, all of which are well bred. J. T. Wilkinson has two trotting mares, each accompanied by a colt. Among the other exhibitors in this class are Messrs. King, Heal, McNeill, Cameron and Robertson, all of whom have stock which is well worth showing. J. Irvine, of Cedar Hill, has a Palo Alto mare with a very pretty colt.

CATTLE.

The exhibit of cattle, both as to numbers and quality, is far ahead of last year's. In the Durham's F. B. Pemberton and the Tolmie estate carry off all the honors. There is a good show of Holsteins, and the competition is keen, prizes being very evenly distributed among the different exhibitors. The Jerseys show a decided improvement, this class of stock having become very popular. Both the first and second prizes for Ayrshires went to J. R. McKenzie. The graded stock is good, and comes from the herds in the vicinity of Victoria.

SHEEP.

The judges of the sheep had some long examinations before being able to award prizes. The Tolmie estate took all the prizes for Leicesters, and J. T. Wilkinson did the same in the Southdown and Cotswold classes. Messrs. Heatherbell and Grimmer took most of the honors for Shropshire or Hampshire Downs; the prizes for Oxford Downs were divided between Dean Bros. and R. C. McRae. W. Grimmer took all the prizes for Lincolns and W. J. McKeon for Norfolk Downs.

PIGS.

In pigs the competition was also close. J. T. Wilkinson and Wrigley & Fox divided prizes for Berkshires; H. Sturdy took all for Suffolks and J. W. Meldram for Chester whites.

M. DEAN'S EXHIBIT.

Mr. M. Dean, of Saanich, who took the first prize for butter, also exhibited a few very handsome looking Jersey cows.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK.

Mr. George Heatherbell, of Hornby Island, is one of the most successful exhibitors of thoroughbred Shropshire sheep. His yearling ram, Beatty's 464, sire Columbia II., 29,253, was one of the best animals raised in Wisconsin. Mr. Heatherbell's animal is but recently imported and comes from A. O. Fox, of Oregon City, Wisconsin. He was successful in securing first prize from among a large number in his class and came so near taking the sweepstake offered by the Vancouver Island Flockmasters' Association for the best ram on exhibition that the judges recommended that the prize be divided between him and the winner, practically acknowledging that the animals were of equal merit. The management did not see fit to allow the judges to divide the money. The animal is a perfect beauty in shape and shows careful breeding at every point. Mr. Heatherbell will use him for breeding purposes on his farm at Hornby Island. Mr. Heatherbell has just sold an excellent ram, Fox 165, from the noted Blueblood stock to the Flockmasters' Association of Vancouver Island. He won first prize at last year's exhibition. Mr. Heatherbell has rams from the celebrated animal for sale, and parties wishing to improve their stock could not purchase to better advantage. One of those which he brought to the exhibition as a sample of his flock was immediately bought by Mr. Ronald McRae, of Cedar Hill, who is himself a sheep fancier and a prize winner. Mr. Heatherbell has also an excellent display of fruit.

J. T. WILKINSON'S EXHIBIT.

The largest and possibly the most successful exhibitor on the grounds is Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, of Chilliwack. He has on the ground standard bred trotting horses, Southdown sheep and Berkshire pigs. Mr. Wilkinson is the pioneer importer of thoroughbred stock in Chilliwack. He has exhibited in Victoria for six years, and seldom lost the prizes competed for. This year he only lost the prize with his Shropshire yearling ram being beaten by another imported animal after a long consultation by the judges. In standard bred trotting stock Mr. Wilkinson exhibited two brood mares. One of those, Nelly Fox, is from General Stanton, a direct descendant of Hambletonian 10. Nelly Fox won first prize in her class, while second prize was secured by his other mare, Seabird by Bookmaker, which was sired by Harold, the sire of Maud S and Hartford, the sire of the famous Robert J., the fastest pacer in the world. Seabird's dam was also by General Stanton. Her filly, Soliloquizer, is a beautiful animal, being much admired and taking first prize in its class. The filly is already registered in the American trotting book and gives promise of being an exceptionally fast animal. Soliloquizer and Nelly Fox's colt are from Colloquy by the famous Bay Bird. Colloquy is owned by a Chilliwack syndicate, of which Mr. Wilkinson is a member. Mr. Wilkinson exhibits 25 thoroughbred sheep, among them a number of imported animals which have been prize winners at the largest exhibitions in the eastern provinces. Some of these have been imported by Mr. Wilkinson this year. They are principally Southdowns and have taken all the prizes in that class. Mr. Wilkinson also wins Mr. Goodacre's special prize for best pen of five Southdown lambs, and special for the best three fat sheep, but his crowning victory has been in winning the sweepstake of the Flockmasters' Association for best ram on the grounds. This was won by Streetly bred by T. C. Douglas, of Galt, who won more prizes for his Southdowns last year at eastern exhibitions and at the World's Fair than any other breeder in the Dominion. Streetly before coming to this province won first prize over prize winners directly imported from England. For the Flockmasters' sweepstake the competition was keen between Streetly, Wilkinson's yearling Fred, bred by George Baker, of Simcoe, Ont., and Mr. Heatherbell's Shropshire. Mr. Wilkinson also exhibited a pair of Cotswold ewes imported from George McRae, of Guelph. These ewes also took first prize. He also exhibits some Berkshire pigs, his boar and brood sows securing first prizes. They were by long odds the best on the grounds. They were imported this year from the celebrated asylum herd of Hamilton. Mr. Wilkinson is to be congratulated upon his success, which is well deserved, as he has been to considerable expense in bringing his animals to the exhibition. He has already sold his Shropshire yearling to the Dean Bros. of Cedar Hill, and his stock being much admired he will no doubt make other sales before leaving the grounds.

PRIZE LIST.

FINE ARTS.

Oil painting, original, either from nature or a composition, H H Simpson 1, L C Barff 2, Miss Hayward highly commended. Rene Quentin, diploma. Oil painting, copy, Miss A Taitt 1, B Jamieson 2. Oil painting, boys or girls under 18, Miss G Collyer 1. Oil painting on porcelain, Miss Hayward diploma. Oil painting on plush, Mrs J McKeon diploma. Oil painting on Tapestry, Miss A Taitt. Water color painting, original, either from nature or composition, Miss A N Aden 1, Miss E Wilson 2, Miss Hayward highly commended. Water color painting, copy, Mrs H Carmichael. Water color painting, boys or girls under 18, Miss M E Redfern 1 and 2. Pencil drawing, Miss M Carr 1, Mrs McKeon 2. Pencil drawing, boys or girls under 16, G H Redfern 1 and 2, Miss Arthur 3. Crayon drawing, plain, Miss H Nuttall 1, Mrs P T Johston 2, Mrs J Andrew highly commended. Pen and ink sketch, Miss M Carr 1, Rene Quentin 2. Sepia drawing, W Chapman 1. Painting on China, Miss M Carr 1, Miss E McMicking 2, Miss B Hadwin highly commended. Architectural drawing, geometrical and perspective views, T C Sorby 1. Collection of photographic portraits, Blackie diploma. Collection of landscapes, Blackie diploma. Carving in wood, Miss H Carmichael 1, J W Chapman 2, Mrs W Johnston 3. General exhibit of amateur photography, Miss A D Cameron 1. Special prize for composition of drop scene, Rene Quentin.

CATTLE.

Durhams—Bull, two years old, F B Pemberton. Cow, Tolmie Estate 1, F B Pemberton 2. Yearling heifer, Tolmie Estate 1 and 2. Heifer calf, Tolmie Estate 1, F B Pemberton 2. Herd, Tolmie Estate 1, F B Pemberton 2.

Holsteins—Bull three years old and upwards, G T Corfield 1. Bull, two years, H A King 1. Bull, one year, Deans Brothers 1. Cow, in calf or milk, G T Corfield 1 and 2. Two year old heifer, H A King 1, G T Corfield 2. Yearling heifer, G T Corfield 1. Herd, consisting of one bull and four females, over one year, G Corfield 2. Cow in calf or milk, E Gowdy 1 and 2.

Jerseys—Bull, three years old and upwards, E Gowdy 1, J S Bowker 2. Bull, one year old, W J Clark. Calf, E Gowdy 1 and 2. Two year old heifer, E Gowdy 1 and 2. One year old heifer, E Gowdy 1 and 2. Heifer calf, W Dalby 1, E Gowdy 2. Herd, consisting of one bull and four females, over one year, E Gowdy 1, G T Corfield 2.

Ayrshires—Cow in calf or milk, J R McKenzie 1 and 2.

Graded stock—Milch cow, three years old and over, J Taitt 1, W E Heal 2. Heifer, two years old, F B Pemberton 1, H A King 2. Heifer, one year old, Deans Bros. 1. Heifer calf, W E Heal 1, H A King 2. Herd, consisting of five females, over one year, three to be in milk, G Taitt 1.

SHEEP.

Leicesters—Ram, two years or over, Tolmie Estate 1. Ram lamb, Tolmie Estate 1 and 2. Two ewes, two years or over, Tolmie Estate 1 and 2. Two ewes, one year, Tolmie Estate 1. Two ewe lambs, Tolmie Estate 1.

Southdowns—Ram, two years or over, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Ram, one year, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Lamb, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Two ewes, two years or over, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Two ewes, one year, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Two ewe lambs, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2.

Cotswolds—Two ewes, one year or over J T Wilkinson 1.

Special Mr T. Goodacre offers one ewe for the best pen of five Southdown lambs, J T Wilkinson.

Shropshire or Hampshire Downs—Ram, one year old, G Heatherbell 1 and 2. Two ewes, two years or over, W Grimmer. Two ewes, one year or over, W Grimmer. Two ewe lambs, W Grimmer.

Oxford Downs—Ram, two years or over, Deans Bros. Ram lamb, R C McRae 1, Deans Bros. 2. Two ewes, two years or over, Deans Bros 1, R C McRae 2. Two ewe lambs, Deans Bros. 1, R C McRae 2.

Lincoln—Ram, two years or over, W Grimmer 1. Ram, one year or over, W Grimmer 1 and 2. Ram lamb, W Grimmer 1. Two ewes, two years or over, W Grimmer 1. Two ewes, one year or over, W Grimmer 1. Two ewe lambs, W Grimmer 1.

Norfolk Downs—Two ewes, two years or over, W J McKeon 1. Special, three fat sheep, any breed, and grazed by exhibitor, J T Wilkinson 1 and 2. Special flock prize, J T Wilkinson.

PIGS.

Berkshire—Boar, one year old or upwards, Wrigley & Fox 1. Breeding sow in farrow at the meeting or that has been within six months, J T Wilkinson 1, Wrigley & Fox 2. Pen of two sows of the same litter under 12 months old, J T Wilkinson 1. Boar, under one year old, Wrigley & Fox 1 and 2.

Suffolk—Boar, one year old and upwards, H Sturdy 1 and 2. Breeding sow in farrow at the meeting, or has been within six months, H Sturdy 1 and 2. Pen of two sows of the same litter, under 12 months old, H Sturdy 1 and 2. Boar, under one year old, H Sturdy 1 and 2.

Chester Whites—Breeding sow in farrow at the meeting, or has been within six months, J W Meldram 1.

Fat Pigs—Fat pig of any breed, N E Knowles 1 and 2.

VEGETABLES.

Beans—Wax, one pound, J T Higgins 1, F Bere 2. Green, one pound, F. AE. Ir-

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MUNICIPAL.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
14th May, 1895. m17

$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"5. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 20th, 1895.

NOTICE.

Blanchard Street, between Fairview and Chatham Streets, will be closed till further order.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

City Hall, Victoria, Aug. 28, 1895.

JOSHUA DAVIES

AUCTIONEER,

Room 7, - Board of Trade Building.

SEPTEMBER.

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The Daily Times.

HONOLULU'S VISITATION.

Honolulu's experience shows how easy it is for cholera to come across the Pacific, despite the length of time required by the voyage. The steamship Belgic brought a number of coolies from Hongkong, who were engaged to work in Hawaiian plantations. They were put in quarantine and disease broke out among them the nature of which was at first doubtful but was soon decided. It very rapidly declared itself as Asiatic cholera of a severe type. There seems to be some doubt as to the origin of the infection; it may have been either in the passengers or in the freight. The following editorial remarks appear in the last number to hand of the Hawaiian Gazette, dated Sept. 3:

"If the statements made by Awana, a Chinese passenger on the Belgic, are true, both Captain Walker and Dr. Bowie of that vessel are guilty of fraud and crime and may be prosecuted under the laws of the United States. The charge that the three deaths of Chinamen occurred from cholera, but that the truth was suppressed in the medical report, is a very serious one. It touches the honesty and good faith of the merchant marine service, and, if true, leaves us no alternative but to close our ports to vessels from the Asiatic countries.

"We must refuse to accept this statement until the officers of the Belgic can be heard from. In the meantime it is a fair presumption that officers of known good character have told the truth.

"The fact that no Japanese immigrants, during the voyage or since the arrival of the vessel, have taken the disease, makes the case a remarkable one, and in due time it will be an interesting study for our medical brethren.

"There is some good reason for believing that, in spite of all precautions, the goods taken by the Belgic from Kobe contained cholera germs, for which the ship's doctor is in no way responsible. The charge that the Chinese passengers had the disease reflects strictly on the officers of the vessels, and is most serious."

This emphasizes the arguments so frequently offered in favor of taking strict precautions regarding Oriental freight and luggage. As usual, the outbreak of the plague has led to the adoption of sanitary measures in Honolulu which should have been adopted long ago. The same number of the Gazette from which we have quoted has the following:

"Within six months, a visitor seeking for a permanent residence here, asked a physician, "What is the sanitary condition of Honolulu?" The reply was, "Bad; only a pestilence will arouse the public mind to the point of cleaning it up." When it was proposed to agitate the subject in the Advertiser, the comment was, "no one will heed what is said about it." A few thoughtful people were alive to the necessity of sanitary reform. But the majority of the people, rich and poor alike, could look on the disgraceful condition of Nuuanu stream with indifference. The moment pestilence comes these people are bellowing around town and driveling over the calamity. * * * It is not the fault of the government, or of the board of health that the town is not cleaned up. The executive, the government, is only the expression of the people's will. It reflects public opinion. If it had proposed six months ago to do what it is now doing, and what it will do in the near future, the public would have called a halt. Nor, would the legislature have voted the necessary money, as object lesson was needed, and we have got it. Every person who dies with the cholera is a human sacrifice offered up by the community on the altar of negligence.

Honolulu's object lesson should not be lost on the Pacific coast cities that have direct communication with Oriental ports. The Hawaiian city is now in a fair way to lose from interruption to its trade twenty times as much as proper sanitation would have cost.

GOVERNMENT "ECONOMY."

The Mail and Empire seems to think it has constructed a defence for the government in regard to the Sault Ste. Marie canal by showing that the actual cost has come nearer the estimate than certain Liberal papers have represented. The chief organ has chosen its ground most judiciously. It might have incurred the charge of rashness if it had attempted to defend some of the actions of the government which resulted in needless increase of cost and in work of a very questionable quality. A dangerous pier in the middle of the entrance, inferior crib work substituted for rock work, and masonry of the "cheap and nasty" order substituted for that required in the specifications were apparently depended upon to keep down the cost. But in spite of all the defective work allowed the expenditure has been larger than the highest estimate. The Mail and Empire wisely leaves alone the fact that Ryan & Co. were given control of the ground so that they might freeze out other contractors from minor portions of the work. Then there was a bonus of $90,000 given to have the work completed in 1893, while the canal was actually opened only a week or two ago. It is wise in the chief organ to refrain from any effort to show that money was not wasted on the Sault canal. Neither can it attempt to deny the facts in the following similar instances:

The estimated cost of the Tay canal was only $132,000. The actual cost was $476,168. This canal is a useless piece of work; the traffic tolls do not nearly pay the cost of maintenance.

The Little Rapids lock contract was $86,680. This swelled up to $200,000. This lock is not used, and the whole outlay was practically thrown away.

The St. Charles branch railway was estimated to cost $130,000. It has cost $1,720,000, with large claims still outstanding. The land damages alone, out of which somebody made a tremendous haul, amounted to over $900,000, and the work to $822,000.

The Galops Rapids channel contract was let for $306,000. The contractor has already been paid $455,000, and is pressing a claim for $130,000 more, which claim will undoubtedly be paid—whether right or wrong—if the government can politically profit thereby. This will bring a $306,000 job up to $575,000.

The Langevin block at Ottawa was estimated to cost $500,000. There has already been paid on this work $781,000 and there are outstanding claims for a quarter of a million more.

The Curran bridge was estimated to cost $123,000. A commission appointed by the government itself to ascertain what they considered would be a fair price for the work done (after the opposition had exposed the scandal) reported $100,000 as sufficient. The public actually paid $430,000.

The government always has "money to burn," but, as the Winnipeg incident so recently showed, it has "economical" fits at times.

THIS IS CHILDREN'S DAY.

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ring 1, C P Wolley 2. Broad, 12 pods, J T Higgins 1. Runner, 12 pods, Mrs W Berridge 1, Mrs G Glover 2.

Beets—Long table, 6, A G Taitt 1, C P Wolley 2. Round table, 6, J T Higgins 1, H A King 2.

Carrots—For table use, 6 horn, Miss E D Michael 1, A G Taitt 2. Six half long, A G Taitt 1, E Conway 2.

Celery—White, 6, F AE Irving 1, C P Wolley 2.

Corn—Sweet, 12 ears, H A King 1, Wrigley & Fox 2.

Cauliflower—Three heads, F AE Irving 1.

Onions—Six red, McTavish nursery 1, H Cox 2. Six white, McTavish Nursery 1, G Millett 2. Six yellow, F AE Irving 1, A Dunlop 2. Silver skin, for pickling, one quart, Mrs C Bryant 1, A Leech 2.

Parsnips—Six, C P Wolley 1, F AE Irving 2.

Peas—In pod, best plate 2 pounds, J T Higgins 1, C P Wolley 2.

Turnips—Fit for table, H A King 1, E Conway 2.

Tomatoes, 12, Beddis Bros. 1.

Vegetables, best collection—correctly named, distinct from any other entries, Mrs F Weton 1. In this class in addition to the money prize, Messrs J H Todd & Son give to the winner of first prize one box of cigars.

Cucumbers—best six grown under glass, H Wilfin 1, McTavish Nursery 2. Cucumbers best six grown in open air, F AE Irving 1, C P Wolley 2.

Kale, H Wilfin 1.

Cabbage, summer, A G Tait 1, T Cairns 2. Winter, T Sherwood 1, A Leech 2. Red, Cairns 1, E Conway 2.

Melons—Musk, W C Grant 1. Nutmeg, Mrs Beddis 1.

Potatoes—Burbank, 25 pounds, A G Taitt 1, H A King 2. Rose, 25 pounds, A Leech 1, H A King 2. Early Rose, 25 pounds, A E Taitt 1, E Conway 2. Largest 50 pounds, Mrs L A Mickle 1, A Leech 2. Twenty-five pounds new variety not before exhibited, A G Taitt 1, Mrs A Wideman 2. Any other variety correctly named, A G Taitt 1, H A King 2. Three varieties correctly named, eight pounds each, A G Taitt 1, H A King 2. Best collection, 12 of each sort, not more than five varieties, A G Taitt 1, H A King 2.

Squash—best two for table use, C P Wolley 1, J S Jones 2.

Pumpkins—Two for table use, C P Wolley 1, J S Jones 2.

Vegetable Marrow—Best two for table use, W Newbury 1, F AE Irving 2.

Citrons—Best two, Jones & McNeill 1, — Daniels 2.

FIELD PRODUCE.

Autumn wheat—H Kipp 1, G R Ashwell 2, Wrigley & Fox 3.

Spring wheat—H Kipp 1, H A King 2, B F Young 3.

Barley—Chevalier, G R Ashwell 1, Wrigley & Fox 2. Rough, H Kipp 1.

Oats—White, H Kipp 1, R C McRae 2.

Peas—White, for agricultural purposes, H Ruckle 1, Beddis Bros 2. Grey, G R Ashwell 1, H A King 2.

Rye—H Kipp 1.

Buckwheat—H Kipp 1.

Tares—M Dean 1.

Turnips—Six hybrid, H A King 1, A G Taitt 2. Six white, A G Taitt 1.

Mangold Wurtzel—Globe, Campbell & Fraser 1. Long red, Campbell & Fraser 1, G T Corfield 2.

Carrots—Six white, Campbell & Fraser 1, Thos Cairns 2. Six orange, Campbell & Fraser 1, J S Smith 2.

Two cabbage, for cattle, H Wilfin 1, G R Ashwell 2.

Six Kohl Rabbi, Mrs Bryant 2.

Bale of Hay—Timothy, Deans Bros 1.

Collection of grain and grass seeds, not less than five pounds each, must have been grown in 1895, H Kipp 1.

Largest and heaviest squash, for cattle, Campbell & Fraser 1.

Special—In addition to the Association prizes in this division, Messrs Hall, Ross & Co. offer $5 as the winner of the first prize, class 415, H Kipp. The Colonist Publishing Co. the Weekly Colonist for one year to the winner of the second prize in class 415, G R Ashwell. The Province Publishing Co. the Province for one year to the winner of third prize in class 415, Wrigley & Fox. Messrs Hall, Ross & Co. offer $5 to the winner of the first prize, class 416, H Kipp. The Times Publishing Co. offer the Weekly Times for one year to the winner of second prize, class 416, H A King.

The province Publishing Co offer the Province for one year to the winner of the third prize, class 416, B F Young.

The Brackman & Ker Milling Co offer $5 to the winner of 1st prize, class 419, H Kipp.

Messrs Gilmore & McCandless offer goods to the value of $5 to the winner of the second prize, class 419, R C McRae.

The Brackman & Ker Milling Co offer $5 to the winner of first prize, class 421, H Ruckle.

The Province Publishing Co offer the Province for one year to the winner of second prize, class 421, Beddis Bros.

The Hudson's Bay Co offer $5 to the the winner of the first prize, class 417, R. G. Ashwell.

The Province Publishing Co offer the Province for one year to the winner of the second prize, class 417, Wrigle & Fox.

The Hudson's Bay Co offer $5 to the winner of first prize, class 418, H Kipp.

Messrs Barnsley & Co offer one pocket flask to winner of 2nd prize, class 418.

Messrs. E G Prior & Co, Ltd, offer a Minneapolis fanning mill for the best collection of grain not less than 50 lbs. of each variety, grown by exhibitor. Special exhibit needed for this, H Kipp.

R Baker & Son's special prize of $10 for the best collection of grain, including wheat, oats, barley, rye, buckwheat, corn, shown by any person, not less than 25 lbs. of each kind, grown in British Columbia, but not necessarily by exhibitor, H Kipp.

APPLES.

Apples—Ten varieties, named, five each (presented by Simon Leiser & Co), T G Earl 1, H Kipp 2. Five varieties named, five each, autumn dessert, Mrs F Wilson 1, H Lazenby 2. Five varieties named, five each, winter eating, T G Earl 1, E T Lomas 2. Five varieties, named, five each, cooking, T G Earl 1, H Lazenby 2. Five Red Astrachan, G B Corfield 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Duchess of Oldenourg, H Lazenby 1, W C Grant 2. Five Gravenstein, T G Earl 1, B F Evans 2. Five Alexander, Mrs P Wilson 1, S Jackman 2. Five any other variety, summer, T G Earl 1. Five Malden's Blush, H Lazenby 1, Mrs P Wilson 2. Five twenty-ounce Pippins, T G Earl 1, H Lazenby 2. Five Snow, W C Grant 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Wealthy, Campbell & Fraser 1, H Lazenby 2. Five Blenheim Orange, T G Earl 1, Beddis Bros 2. Five Yellow Bellflower, F Sere 1, T G Earl 2. Five Pewaukee, T G Earl 1, Mrs P Wilson 2. Five King of Tompkins County, T G Earl 1, S York 2. Five Ribston Pippins, A Leech 1, Mrs C Bryant 2. Five Rhode Island Greenings, T G Earl 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Baldwins, Campbell & Fraser 1, J Deans 2. Five Northern Spy, T G Earl 1, E Lomas 2. Five Spitzenburg, T G Earl 1. Five Golden Russets, Campbell & Fraser 1, G F Corfield 2. Five Roxbury Russetts, Campbell & Fraser 1. Five Ben Davis, H Lazenby 1, H Kipp 2. Five Cayuga Red, T G Earl 1. Five Wallbridge, Campbell & Fraser 1. Five Vaughan Benefic, G R Ashwell.

Pears—Ten varieties, named, five each, H Lazenby 1. Five varieties, named, five each, H Kipp 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Bartletts, H Lazenby 1, T G Earl 2. Five Seckel, J H Todd 1. Five Flemish Beauty, Mrs P Wilson 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Louise Bonne de Jersey, F Sere 1, J H Todd 2. Five Howell, H Lazenby 1. Five any other variety, fall, S Jackman 1, Campbell & Fraser 2. Five Beure D'Anjou, G H Watson 1, H Lazenby 2. Five winter Nelis, P Wilson 1. Five Lawrence, Campbell & Fraser 1. Five Vicar of Wakefield, J H Todd 1, Mrs Michael 2. Five any other variety, winter, H Lazenby 1, Jos McGregor 2.

Plums—Twelve varieties, named, 12 each, H Lazenby. Six varieties, red or blue, named, H Lazenby 1, Mrs P Wilson 2. Twelve Coe's Golden Drop, H Kip 1, F Sere 2. Twelve Yellow Egg, Mrs G Brown 1, G R Ashwell 2. Twelve Ponds Seedling, Beddis Bros 1 and 2. Twelve Dawson, H Lazenby 1. Twelve Red Egg, E G Thain 1, S York 2. Twelve Fellenburg, or Italian Prunes, A Burchett 1, G Heatherbell 2. Twelve German Prunes, Wm Thompson 1, H Lazenby 2. Twelve Bradshaw, Campbell & Fraser 1, S York 2. Twelve any other variety, named, H Lazenby 1, Campbell & Fraser 2.

Peaches—Six Early Crawford, E Fawcett 1, T G Earl 2. Any other variety, T G Earl 1.

Grapes—Red, T G Earl 1. White, T G Earl 1. Black, Mrs Trounce 1, T G Earl 2.

Quinces—Six, Beddis Bros 1.

Crab apples—Twelve Transcendent, W Knight 1. Twelve Hislop, Campbell & Fraser 1, H Lazenby 2. Twelve any other variety, Mrs P Wilson 1.

Best packed apples in box, for shipping, Mrs. P Wilson 1, F Sere 2.

Best packed pears in box for shipping, F Sere 1, Mrs P Wilson 2.

Best five pounds dried prunes, dark, H Kipp.

Best quart walnuts dry, P T Johnson 1.

Fruits preserved whole in glass, amateur, Mrs Jackson 1.

Jams and Jellies, in glass, Mrs Beddis.

Jam and Jellies, factory, Okell & Morris.

Fruits preserved whole, in glass, factory, Okell & Morris, medal commended.

Table fruit, in syrup, Okell & Morris, medal commended.

Marmalades, Okell & Morris, medal commended.

Lemon Peel, Okell & Morris, medal commended.

Special prizes offered by F B Pemberton, for best and largest collection of fruits made by one grower, distinct from other entries, Mrs P Wilson 1, H Kipp 2.

FLOWERS.

Cut Blooms—Annuals, McTavish Nursery 1, J C W Newbury 2. Asters, Mrs Rollins 1, J C W Newbury 2. Dahlias, double, twelve distinct, J C W Newbury 1, McTavish Estate 2. Gladioli, 12 distinct, J Moss 1, P T Johnston 2. Pansies, twenty-four distinct, McTavish Estate 1, G Millett 2. Petunias, double, six, J T Higgins 1, McTavish Estate 2. Petunias, single, six, G Millett 1, Miss Siddell 2. Phlox Drummondi, twelve, Mrs Rollins 1, J T Higgins 2. Phlox, perennial, six distinct, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Calceolarias, 10 distinct, W Newbury 1, McTavish Nursery 2. Stocks, 10 distinct, P T Johnson 1, W Newbury 2. Roses, hybrid, perpetual, six distinct, McTavish Nurseries 1. Miss M Gowen 2. Roses, tea, six distinct, Miss M Gowen 1, J C Newbury 2. Verbenas, ten distinct, J Millett 1, P T Johnston 2. Perennials, twelve distinct, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Sweet Peas, P T Johnston 1, Miss M Gowen 2. Ornamental grasses, McTavish Nursery 1. Bouquets, hand, McTavish Nursery 1, P T Johnston 2. Bouquets, table, McTavish Nurseries 1, W Newbury 2. Bouquets, bridal, McTavish Nurseries 1, P T Johnston 2. Basket cut flowers, not more than 12 inches in diameter, McTavish Nurseries 1, Miss P Brody 2. Begonias, 4 Rex, in pots, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Begonias, 4 tuberous, single in pots, P T Johnston 1, J T Higgins 2. Begonias, 4 tuberous, double in pots, McTavish Nurseries 1. Begonias, 4 tuberous, shrub, in pots, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Geraniums, 4 single, in pots, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Geraniums, 4 double, in pots, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Fuchsias, 4 single, in pots, J T Higgins 1, Mrs E F Moore 2. Fuchsias, 4 double, in pots, J T Higgins 1, McTavish Nursery 2. Heliotrope, 2 in pots, J T Higgins 1. Hanging baskets, 2, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Ferns (greenhouse), 4, in pots, J T Higgins 1. Plant, best in show, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Palm, best specimen, McTavish Nursery 1. Lilies, in pots, J Moses 1. McTavish Nursery 2. Gloxinias, not less than 6 nor more than 12, H D Helmcken 1, J T Higgins 2. Stove and greenhouse plants, in pots, distinct from other entries, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Ferns, in pots, not less than 12 nor more than 20, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Hardy Evergreen shrubs, not less than 12 nor more than 20, P T Johnston 1. Cacti, not less than 10 nor more than 15 varieties, McTavish Nursery 1. Palms, not less than 6 or more than 10, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Foliage plants, 6 distinct varieties, McTavish Nurseries 1, J T Higgins 2. Coleus, not less than 10 or more than 15 McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Window plants in pot, for amateurs only, not less than six varieties nor more than 12, Mrs N C Mesnie 1, St. Ann's Academy 2, Mrs L M Mickle 3.

Funeral designs—Flat design, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Other than flat design, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Wreath or cross, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. Floral design, McTavish 1, J T Higgins 2.

Sweepstakes—For the best collection of flowers grown in pots, not less than 12 not more than 24, distinct from other entries, 1st prize, two tons Wellington coal, given by R Dinsmuir & Sons; 2nd prize $5, by W J Macaulay, McTavish Nursery 1, J T Higgins 2. For best collection of cut flowers, made by girls under 16, one cut glass bottle, given by D E Campbell, Miss May Gowen.

SCHOOL COMPETITION.

High School — Book-keeping, Biblanne Moore. Composition, Rosemary Reid.

Public School—Book-keeping, Mary Baldwin Franklin, South Park School. Composition, First Division, Violet Hardy, Girl's Central School, and Gordon Grant, North Ward School (equal). Commended, George Brown, Boy's Central; Victoria Douglas, North Ward. Second Division, Laura Simpson, North Ward. Third Division, Emma Lister Casado, South Park. Fourth Division, Minnie Stapleton, North Ward; Mary Halock and Agnes Webster, Girl's Central (commended).

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LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The steamer Princess Louise leaves this evening for Skeena river, direct.

—It is anounced that after all the Vancouver opera house will not be closed. The C. P. R. requires the payment of $600 at once and Manager Evans-Thomas will endeavor to raise it with a couple of benefit performances.

—Sergeant Johnson, of the Vancouver police, is in the city on busiuess connected with the department. The force was recently reorganized, and Mr. Ward, a pensioner of the Toronto force, was made chief. Mr. Johnson was acting chief for a time, and in the reorganization was made sergeant.

—Preseverance Lidge, I.O.G.T., met last evening and initiated one member. A large number of visiting members were present. Bro. Hoxley, of Vancouver, and Sister Butcher, of Port Townsend, gave short addresses on the good of the order, after which the lodge was closed and opened in the district degree and elected officers for the year.

—A carload of sealskins were shipped to London yesterday by the Hudson's Bay Co. The skins were from the schooners Masco and Diana, owned by George Collins, and were received recently from Japan. The shipment goes east over the Northern Pacfic and will commence the ocean trip at New York. It is to go through in special time, quick delivery being required on shipments of sealskins.

—The employes of Spencer's Arcade are literally as busy as bees arranging the great quantities of new goods which are daily—almost hourly—arriving from the four corners of the globe, and that the hearts of the fair sex rejoice greatly thereat is at once seen in the smiling faces and the suppressed "Oh, how lovely's" heard on every hand. The newest creations in Jackets, Capes and Children's coats are among the late arrivals and are attracting much atention.

—C. D. Rand left by Sunday's express for Montreal, Boston and New York on important business, says Monday's World. It is possible that he may extend his trip to London, as he has a large transaction, involving a heavy amount of money, to close with British capitalists, which, however, has no connection with the New Westminster bridge scheme or the construction of a line of railway from the south, or southeast into Vancouver.

—The big freighter Strathnevis of the Northern Pacific has left Yokohama on Monday with another immense cargo of freight. It amounts to about 6000 tons (measurement) and includes 1900 tons for Puget Sound and Portland, 250 tons for Victoria, 100 tons for San Francisco, and 1400 bales of silk for New York. The balance, principally made up of tea, is for overland points. She has 95 Chinese passengers, 45 of whom will land at Victoria. She makes very fair time and may be expected here about two weeks from to-day.

—The choir of St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral is preparing for two rather ambitious efforts in the musical line. Under the direction of Conductor Chas. E.Lombard they will in a few days commence rehearsing Mozart's Twelfth Mass for rendition at Christmas. Ample time is being taken in order that a perfect rendition of it may be given. Cerutti's mass for male voices exclusively has been in preparation for a short time and will be rendered in about three weeks. It is said to be a beautiful production, and there will no doubt be a large gathering to hear it sung. Due notice will be given of the date.

—Hope lodge, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., held a most pleasant social and dance in the society's hall, Yates street, last evening. The event was largely patronized by their friends. The following programme was rendered: Mrs. Wilkerson, song; Miss Irene Ure, recitation; Mrs. Dudgeon, song; Mr. T. Dooley, comic song; Mr. Hodge, piano solo; Mrs Wilkes, song; Mr. Penketh, song; Mr. Hodge, song; Mr. Wilkes, song; Mr. P. Collins, violin solo. A pleasing feature of the evening was illuminated club swinging by Mr. Lionel Wolff. Mr. E. Wolff, L. C. M., acted as accompanist. Music for the dancing was furnished by the Bantly orchestra.

—The City of Topeka will sail on the 20th for Alaska, the cut rates, $20 for the round trip, being still in force.

—R. P. Rithet & Co. have received notification from San Francisco that Honolulu and China and Japan ports have been declared by the board of health of the Bay City to be infected.

—Peter, the Valdez island Indian caught trying to sell a brace of grouse yesterday, was arraigned in the police court this morning. He was convicted and ordered to pay a fine of $25 or go to jail for a month. The fine will very likely be paid.

—A Washington, D. C., dispatch says that the Secretary of the Treasury has sent a telegram to the Collector of Customs at Ogdensburg, N. Y., directing him not to admit any of the 200 Chinese recently landed at Vancouver en route to the Atlanta Exposition.

—Thomas Foster, a young stone cutter, had a thumb so badly shattered by the accidental discharge of a shot gun yesterday that it will have to be amputated. He was out at Cedar Hill road and was in the act of climbing over a log when the weapon was discharged.

—The bark Arcturus was towed to Ganges harbor by the tug Lorne this morning. She is to load mining props for Santa Rosalia under charter to R. Ward & Co. The Lorne will, on her return, tow the bark Shakespeare to Vancouver, where she will load lumber for Delagoa Bay.

—Action secretary of the treasury Hamlin, says the Port Townsend Call, has informed the collectors of customs on the frontiers that in the opinion of the department the practice authorized many years ago of labelling or stamping the hand baggage of passengers on their departure from the United States for other places therein by routes passing turough foreign territory serves no good purpose and affords no protection wnatever to revenue officers. The discontinuance of the practice has been ordered, and in lieu thereof the collectors are directed to require the officers to examine the hand baggage of passengers arriving within their collection districts from foreign territory without regard to the places from whence the baggage may come.

—The steamship Topeka arrived from Alaska this morning. Among the passengers for Victoria were Sir Joseph Trutch, Miss O'Reilly and Rev. Father Althoff. The latter is leaving Alaska for good but where he will be located is hard to say. The ship brought no special news except that the fact that Alaska had an unwarranted rush of people this year is being proven. The Topeka lay here four hours and discharged 400 barrels of fish oil.

STRUCK AN ICEBERG.

Bark Ladas, Which Arrived This Morning, Met One Off Cape Horn.

The British bark Ladas, Captain Messenger, arrived here this morning, 18 days from San Diego. She is under charter to load salmon for Turner, Beeton & Co., at Victoria, for the United Kingdom. She will first, however, go in dock to repair damages caused by colliding with an iceberg off Cape Horn. She is making some water, but it is not known to what extent she is damaged. The Ladas is a new ship. Her first voyage was from Liverpool to the West Coast, where she loaded for Newcastle, Australia. At the latter port she took coal for San Diego and then came here. It was while on the way from the West Coast to Australia and off Cape Horn that she struck the iceberg. It gave her quite a shaking up but it was not believed at the time that any injury had been sustained.

The trip from San Diego was an uneventful one in every respect. The Ladas is a splendid vessel of 1291 tons register. She is a well constructed ship and presents a handsome appearance. She was towed in from the cape by the American tug Discovery.

PERSONAL.

Clive Phillipps-Wolley has gone to Alberni.

John Headry, of Vancouver, is at the Driard.

F. J. Claxton left for the Sound last evening.

T. R. Higginson, of New Westminster, is in town.

Judge Bole came over from the Mainland yesterday.

J. A. Dummitt, of the Y. M. C. A., is in the city.

Commodore Barneson, of Port Townsend, is in the city.

Mrs. J. R. Gardner came over from Vancouver last evening.

E. J. Salmon is back from an extended trip from England.

Mrs A. C. Sheldon, of Portland, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. E. E. Blackwood returned yesterday from a visit to the Sound.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney left for the Interior Sunday morning.

Miss F. Kasmland, of Portland, who has been visiting here, left for her home last evening.

George M. Willard, Puget Sound representative of the Wisconsin Central railway, is in the city.

J. A. MacQuillan, of the Dominion Building and Loan Society, is in the city and is at the New England.

Julius Lang and Milton P. Goldsmith, of Portland, were in the city yesterday. They were guests at the Driard.

K. C. Payne, R. C. Smith, S. J. Jones, Mrs. Jones and Miss Jones, all of Portland, are registered at the Driard.

H. Dernham, of the firm of Dernham & Kaufmann, Moscow, Idaho, left for home last evening over the Northern Pacific.

Charles Hayward returned last evening from Kamloops, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his son, who is now improving slowly.

Mrs. Broderick and Mrs. Stinson arrived from Seattle on the Rosalie this morning.

Capt. Salmond, master of the Wellington, accompanied by Mrs. Salmond, left for the Sound last evening.

Mrs. McEwen and children, the wife and family of Mr. McEwen, manager of Jardine, Matheson & Co., and C. J. R. agent at Shanghai, were passengers by the Empress of China for the Orient.

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C. Wasp, of San Juan, Did Not Want to be Drugged, Robbed and Beaten.

Charles Wasp, a rather bad looking man with a stinging gleam in his eyes, stood up in police court this morning to answer to a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. Wasp went into Clay's saloon last night and twirled a dangerous looking revolver in his hands and on his fingers until he gave the crowd nervous prostration. Everybody, including Mr. Clay, expected to hear a salute every second, and the sigh of relief when Wasp left could be heard. Acting Chief Walker looked Wasp up later on and searched. He found the revolver loaded in every chamber, and munitions of war to the extent of 29 cartridges in his pockets. Wasp was carefully locked up. Magistrate Macrae wanted to know why he had the terrible weapon. Wasp said he was from San Juan river and every time he had been to Victoria before he had run up against bad people. They had drugged, and robbed and beaten him until he was tired. This trip he decided that all that sort of thing had to come to a head, and before leaving home he borrowed the little cannon from a neighbor. His revolver was to let the light into the interior of any man who hinted that he was going to drug, rob or beat him. The mild remonstrance of the court did not soften the glare in Wasp's eyes.

Wasp was fined $25, and if he does not pay it will do a month with hard labor. It is quite likely that he will pay the fine. His revolver is held at police headquarters. It is a monster.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

This morning J. C. Prevost came up before Mr. Justice Walkem and elected to take a jury trial. Mr. J. A. Aikman was present on behalf of Prevost.

An order was made in the supreme court this morning by Mr. Justice Walkem calling upon James Kaye, his wife Elizabeth Kaye and Edith Summerfield to show cause why Beatrice Summerfield and James Edward Summerfield should not be handed over to the custody of their father. The parties live on the Saanich road and the father claims possession of his children, who are now in the custody of their mother and grandparents. The argument will take place on Monday.

The little Chinese girl, Choy Wan, who some time ago was the cause of some proceedings in the courts, was this morning brought by her guardian, Lee Mong Kow, before the chief justice in accordance with the terms of the order appointing Mong Kow guardian. Miss Bowes was present with her lawyer, Mr. Fell, and Mr. Aikman represented Mong Kow. Mr. Fell asked Choy Wan if she was satisfied to stay in Mong Kow's possession and she said she was; that settled it, as she seemed happy and well fed and his lordship would not interfere.

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AMERICAN NEWS NOTES.

Transportation Companies at Peace. Waller's Case—Stanley's Job.

New York, Sept. 18.—At a conference held to-day between C. P. Huntington and J. E. Simmons, representing respectively the Pacific Mail Steamship Company and the Panama Railroad Company, the war which has been in progress for a long time between the two companies was ended. Mutual concessions were made and a satisfactory compromise of the differences between the two companies was arrived at. The Pacific Mail Co. will surrender the Atlantic ocean to the Panama railroad, withdrawing its ships, and in return the Panama railroad company will retire from the Pacific. The old contract, which was a perpetual one, was abrogated and a new one has been signed on terms satisfactory to both interests.

Henry M. Stanley, M. P., has accepted the appointment of associate editor of Bishop William Taylor's monthly pictorial publication "Illustrated Africa." It was during his brief recent visit to New York en route to Canada, that Mr. Stanley became closely associated with Bishop Taylor in the present work.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 18.—Mr. Langton, counsel for Ex-Consul Waller, and Paul Bray, stepson of the latter, were at the state department to-day. They have received letters from Mr. Waller showing that his health is slightly improved. As the advices received here are to the effect that the record of the court martial cannot possibly reach Paris before the 22nd instant at the earliest, the statement of a French newspaper showing that Waller's case is hopeless, is entirely discredited here.

Lima, Peru, Sept. 18.—A sensation was caused in the chamber of deputies to-day by Senor Basadros, who denounced the scandalous sale of Coya, by the firm of Grace to the Cacores government for £40,000, when Senor Basadros alleged it had been previously offered to others for £18,000.

STATE OF AFFAIRS IN CUBA.

Unofficial Dispatches Show the Spanish Have no Easy Time.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 18.—The British steamer Taff, just in at this port from Cuba, brings news of a serious state of affairs at Banes, the most important fruit port on the northern coast. The Taff reports that Banes has been evacuated by the Spaniards after a feeble resistance, that the entire northern section of the island is now in the hands of the insurgents, and Gibara itself, which is one of the strongest and best fortified cities on the coast, is in a perilous position, although the Spaniards have between 7000 and 8000 soldiers at this point, and two men of war in the harbor. When it became known that the insurgents threatened Banes, M. Dumers, who practically owns the town, and who is one of the wealthiest planters on the island, sent to the Spanish officials at Gibara, about 40 miles distant, an urgent request for troops, and the Taff was placed at the disposal of the government for the transportation of the troops. About 100 soldiers were hastily put on board the Taff and shipped to Banes. After they arrived there they found that the insurgents had already sacked the town and were camped on the outskirts to the number of about 5000. There were only about 75 soldiers in the fort at Banes, who made a show of resistance until overwhelmed by numbers they were forced to fall back.

When the Taff arrived with the reinforcements, a council of war was held, and it was decided at once to evacuate the port to the insurgents and the entire force was taken back to Gibara.

The officers of the Taff say the Spanish soldiers which they took to Banes were all mere boys, and yet they claimed to have been in eighteen engagements in the vicinity of Gibara. The officers further state that the soldiers were very poorly equipped. Some of them wore caps, others old straw hats and still others had nothing at all to wear on their heads.

As soon as the insurgents found themselves in possession of Banes they at once cut all telegraph and telephone wires and began to harass Gibara, and the commandant of the fort was expecting an open attack at any moment. The officers of the Taff say that the whole country is up in arms and that everybody favors the insurgents. So true is this that only boys were left in the port of Banes to load and unload vessels. The bulk of the male population have joined the ranks of the insurgents. It is also stated that many planters are in sympathy with the rebels. The insurgents seem to have plenty of cash and the officers of the Taff say that every vessel that sails to Cuba is asked by representatives of the insurgents to buy rifles and cartridges in the United States and smuggle them to Cuba. They will pay in advance for these, and it is a well known fact that nearly every vessel that sails to Cuba smuggles arms to the insurgents.

The officers of the Taff were asked to bring arms and ammunition and a representative of the insurgents tried to make a trade with the captain of the Taff just before she sailed.

There was a rumor at Banes and Gibara when the Taff left those places, that the Brazilian rebel admiral Mello was expected any day with a war vessel and 500 men to aid the insurgents, and one of the officers of the Taff, who saw Mello bombard Rio, says there is evidently some good grounds for the rumor, and he further says that Mello can beat the Spanish gunboats with even an ordinary man of war.

Havana, Sept. 18.—Official dispatches report the defeat of 800 insurgents under command of a Cuban named Gil, at Piedra, near Guantanamo. The camp of the insurgents was captured after a sharp fight, in which eight Cubans were killed and three Spaniards wounded. Among the captured material was a quantity of dynamite shells.

The insurgents derailed a coach of a train at Baga, near Nueviks, and killed five soldiers and captured seven prisoners, who were afterwards set at liberty. Seven kidnappers who were imprisoned at Sanoti Esperitu have escaped from the jail there. It is rumored that the insurgents have been fired upon by the negro band called "Plateados," near Romedios. It was also rumored that Jose Marco had died of sickness near San Remon de Las Yaguas, in the province of Santiago de Cuba, but this is found to be untrue.

BRITISH COLUMBIA FRUIT.

Last week the Commercial referred editorially to the arrival in Winnipeg of the first carload of plums from British Columbia, making some remarks in connection therewith upon freight rates. The Commercial has since received a letter from Mr. Kerr, of the Canadian Pacific railway, upon this subject, which we take the liberty of quoting. Mr. Kerr says:

"In the second paragraph of your editorial one would infer that prompt dispatch cannot be given by this company's freight train service to fruit from British Columbia points. This, I suppose, is only a surmise on your part from the remarks of Mr. Catherwood, who patronized the express service, and is entirely at variance with the results of the fast freight train service at freight tram rates that we are now giving other British Columbia fruit shippers. Our rates from British Columbia are precisely the same to Winnipeg as the rates current by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern to Fargo and St. Paul, namely, $1.12½ per 100 pounds from interior British Columbia points and $1.25 from British Columbia terminals. Our facilities for rapid transit by freight train service are as good as the service provided by the southern lines. I think a good deal of the trouble in connection with the shipment of British Columbia fruit to this market is accounted for by the fact that the growers do not pick the fruit until it is too ripe to stand transportation, neither do they pack it in the same manner as the Americans to the south of us. For long distance transportation deciduous fruits must be hand-picked and carefully packed, otherwise the results will be disastrous."

Mr. Kerr's statement certainly puts the matter in a very satisfactory light, so far as freight rates and quick transportation are concerned. We certainly understood that Mr. Catherwood paid a high express rate because he could not get rapid transit by freight, but it appears from Mr. Kerr's remarks that this was not necessary.

As regards the quality of the fruit in this particular car, we stated last week that it arrived in good condition and sold well. This was quite true as regards condition of arrival, but after the fruit had been here a short time it began to rapidly collapse, showing a great lack of keeping quality. We noted this fact in our regular market report last week. Our editorial remarks last week were based on the first impression of the fruit on arrival, but a little later the poor keeping quality of the fruit became apparent, and this fact was stated in our market reports of last week.

If the British Columbia fruit growers are to secure and hold a large trade here they will evidently have to exercise more care in picking and handling their fruit. Oregon and Washington state fruit comes in here in large quantities and shows excellent keeping quality, and certainly the British Columbia fruit should do the same if given the same care in handling. With the same freight rates, and the duty in their favor, it will be entirely their own fault, on account of careless packing, if the British Columbia fruit growers do not secure a large share of the trade of this market. They might as well be told frankly, however, at the outset, that they will never gain a foothold in this market until they learn to handle the fruit so as to place it in this market in as good condition as that which comes in from the Pacific Coast States.—Winnipeg Commercial.

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Canadian News.

St. Johns, Nfld., Sept. 18.—Another seizure of smuggled goods was made this evening, a recently opened jewelry store being raided and several cases of watches and valuable gems seized. All the property taken by the detectives is of a character that could easily be brought into the country without the knowledge of the customs authorities.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—A private telegram was received here to-day from H. M. Kersey, Lord Dunraven's representative, stating that his lordship intended to leave for England on Thursday on the yacht Valhalla, owned by his friend Mr. Laycock.

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Cunard Line, Umbria	Oct. 5
American Line, New York	Oct. 2
American Line, Paris	Oct. 9
Red Star Line, Noordland	Oct. 2
Red Star Line, Southwark	Oct. 9
Anchor Line, Circassia	Sept. 28
Anchor Line, Anchoria	Oct. 5
North Ger. Lloyd Kaiser William II	Sept 28
North German Lloyd, Aller	Oct. 1
White Star Line, Teutonic	Oct. 2
White Star Line, Britannic	Oct. 9
Allan State Line, California	Sept. 28
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TIME TABLE NO. 24.

To take effect at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 5, 1895. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Pass. Daily.	No. 3 Pass. Sat. Sn.	No. 2 Pass. Daily.	No. 4 Pass. Sat. Sn.
	South Bound, Read Up.		North Bound, Read Down.	
	Ar. P.M.	Ar. P.M.	Dp. A.M.	Dp. P.M.
Victoria	2.30	8.30	8.00	4.30
Russ'l's	2.36	8.36	7.54	4.24
Saanichton	2.45	8.45	7.45	4.15
Keating	2.52	8.52	7.38	4.08
Parson's Bridge	2.57	8.57	7.33	4.03
Langford	3.05	9.05	7.25	3.55
Goldstream	3.14	9.14	7.16	3.46
Summit siding	3.19	9.19	7.11	3.41
Shawnigan Lake	3.30	9.30	7.00	3.30
Mossley Hill	3.35	9.35	6.55	3.25
Kobble Hill	3.45	9.45	6.45	3.15
Cobble Hill	3.55	9.55	6.35	3.05
Duncan's	4.15	10.15	6.15	2.45
Somenos	4.26	10.26	6.04	2.34
Westholme	4.33	10.33	5.57	2.27
Chemainus	4.43	10.43	5.47	2.17
Oyster Bay Siding	4.53	10.53	5.37	2.07
Crofton	5.00	11.00	5.30	2.00
Quamichan	5.08	11.08	5.22	1.52
Duncan's	5.15	11.15	5.15	1.45
Wellington	5.30	11.30	5.00	1.30

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BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VERNON.

Vernon, Sept. 16.—"History repeats itself!" Last winter Lord Aberdeen requested that the Quebec carnival be postponed—but without avail. Last Friday His Excellency suggested that the Vernon Agricultural Show be postponed till the following week; but the directors by vote decided to hold to the original date. The suggestion of His Excellency deserved better consideration than it received, as it is undoubtedly a mistake to hold the show at the same time as that at New Westminster. September would be preferable in any way, as finer exhibits would then be secured and better weather more reasonable expected. But there are "wheels within wheels" in this question. The inwardness of the matter is, that the Jockey Club could not well postpone their races, and as they depend to a great extent on the show to draw a crowd, they were unwilling that the races and the show should be divorced—as one director aptly put it. Several of the directors belong to both organizations, and it so happened that at the hurriedly called meeting to consider Lord Aberdeen's suggestion, the race directors outvoted the other directors. An opinion has been expressed by several that it would be good policy to hold the show (which really is a district organization) alternately at Vernon and Okanagan Mission; and at the next annual meeting it will be proposed to hold the 1896 show in the Mission valley. The promoters of this change argue that less interest is taken in the show each year, a certain sameness being unavoidable; that great expense is entailed yearly on outside visitors and exhibitors, and that Vernon alone reaps the benefit—especially the hotels. The Mission people have the reputation of going heart and soul into anything they undertake, whether business or recreation; they have the money, the experience and the exhibits to make a creditable show without any outside assistance; and it is certain that if the scheme is adopted and supported by the district, the success of the show there will be superior to any since its inauguration in 1891. Let the Mission and Spallumcheen directors pull together and they will be supported by many in Vernon, notwithstanding the opposition of the Jockey Club.

Two former residents of Victoria and later prominent in Vernon social circles were this day joined in the bonds of matrimony; Mr. S. Somerville, head salesman in Mr. W. F. Cameron's store, being the groom and Miss M. Kape the bride. The wedding was celebrated at Kelowna, Rev. G. S. Kilson, presbyterian minister, officiating.

It is understood that Mr. Tunstall, of Kamloops, will shortly be gazetted as registrar of the county court at Vernon, vice Mr. J. A. Monteith. Other minor official changes are also expected.

Lord Aberdeen has been peculiarly unlucky with his horses since coming west. A few weeks ago, two were cremated at the time the Coldstream barn and stables were burnt. More recently, two saddle horses—favorites of his Excellency—were suffocated by steam in the cars between Vancouver and Vernon, and last week a carriage horse fell in harness a short distance from Vernon and was hauled away lefeless; Colic was given as the immediate cause.

Threshing is almost completed in this district and plowing well under way. Wheat is not moving very freely, only one large rancher having sold as yet; most of those able to do so will hold back their wheat in expectancy of a rise to at least $20, a price almost certain to be offered before New Year.

Messrs Bell & Musgrove are carrying on the market formerly known as Jack McKinnon's. The latter has not been heard of since his break from jail, but it is thought now that for several days he was in hiding not 10 miles from the court house, awaiting a propitious time to travel.

Rev. M. Outerbridge has just returned from England and again officiates in the pretty little Episcopal church at Enderby.

Mr. W. R. Megaw and family left yesterday by private team for a hunting and pleasure trip to Nicola and will take in the Kamloops show befor returning home.

Mrs. T. E. Crowell is visiting relatives at Kamloops.

Mrs. T. Milne returned on Saturday from an extended visit to Victoria.

Grouse and prairie chicken are exceedingly scarce this year and sportsmen have to fall back on duck to swell their bags.

Rumor has it that a wedding will shortly be celebrated here, under the patronage of her Excellency Lady Aberdeen.

None But Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

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THE Y. M. C. A.

Annual Meeting Held—Progress in all Departments.

If anyone doubted the popularity of the Y. M. C. A. one glance at the large audience that filled the hall and parlor on Monday evening on the occasion of their annual meeting would have had his doubts removed. The rooms committee of the auxiliary had tastefully arranged the platform and embellished it with cut flowers, while other ladies of the auxiliary had prepared choice refreshments, which were served at the close of the meeting. From the moment the president, W. H. Bone, took the chair to the close of the meeting it was a success. Sixteen reports were read by the following heads of committees: President, W. H. Bone, treasurer, S. G. Clemence; general secretary, George Carter; invitation, Ernest Whitingtou; music, A. Wheeler; cabin work, F. Allett; women's auxilary, Mrs. Jenkins; rooms, H. Siddal; boy's brigade, H. Roper; entertainment, A. Lee; lacrosse, Wm. Templeman; football, A. Lee; boating, C. Wriglesworth, Gymnasium, H. Roper.

The treasurer's report made an excellent showing, viz., receipts $2,609.69; expenditure, $2,608.19. The old debt of the association at the last annual meeting was $548.05, with new liabilities of $42, making a total of $590.05. This was reduced during the year to $342.95. The women's auxiliary also reduced this old debt some $50.00, leaving them with less than $200 to raise to clear off their old debt. An interesting innovation was the reading of some answers to questions which had been written out by the secretary to young men. The questions were as follow: "Has the Victoria Y. M. C. A. been of any benefit to you during the past year? If so, mention some of the ways in which it has helped you." "Would you like to see the association closed, if not, why not?" Five replies were read. The following is taken as a specimen:—"It has been a benefit to me in that I could spend an hour in the rooms with pleasure and profit to myself. Also in the use of public and private reading rooms and library. It has also been a benefit to me as being a place where I could meet Christian young men and enjoy their conversation." "It should not be closed for it is the only place in the city where Christian young men meet, and if it were closed it would be regretted by a good many families before long. It is like a second home to a good many young men in the city." These testimonies are on file at the office of the Association and can be seen by any one who desire to see them.

The prizes for the successful contestants in last Saturday's regatta were presented by Mrs. Jenkins, assisted by Mr. George Carter. Full particulars and names of winners were published in the Times of Monday last. The press was thanked on account of the Association for the uniform kindness it had shown to the work during the year. The nominating committee presented a list of names from which the following were elected as the board of directors: W.H. Bone, A. Lee, Dr. Ernest Hall, H. Siddal, H. Roper, A. B. Meneill, D. McMillan, J. Hastie, F. Davey, W. J. White, J. T. Bethune, A. J. Pineo. The directors will meet on Friday evening to elect officers.

Rev. Webb-Peploe, of London, Eng., will Webb-Peploe, of London, England, will address the association in the near future.

—One advantage of taking Ayer's sarsaparilla to purify the blood is that you need not infringe upon your hours of labor nor deny yourself any food that agrees with you. In award, you are not compelled to starve or loaf, while taking it. These are recommendations worth considering.

CIVIC COAL PURCHASES.

To the Editor: In the report of the council meeting in last night's paper, Ald. Macmillan is reported as having said that the coal matter had never ben specifically before the council. The following is an extract from the electric light committee report of June 24th, which will explain the method the electric light committee took in the purchase of coal for the department: "That as Mr. James Dunsmuir has agreed to furnish Comox nut washed coal at $2.75 per ton delivered upon the wharf, your commitee recommend that his offer be accepted. (Carried)."

The above speaks for itself; further comment is unnecessary.

ED. BRAGG.

For every 12 "Sunlight" Wrappers sent to the Canadian Head Office, 23 Scott street, Toronto, Lever Bros., Ltd., will send postpaid a useful paper-bound book, 100 pages.

C. E. KING, Victoria, agent for B. C.

BAD NEWS FROM THE CONGO.

Natives in a State of Anarchy—Ku Cheng Rioters Executed.

London, Sept. 18.—Private letters which have been received here from the Congo Free State say that affairs there are in a condition verging upon anarchy. Encounters between Belgian forces and natives, which have been represented in official dispatches as resulting in a Belgian victory, are said to have been, in fact, serious reverses. It is reported that two Englishmen travelling in the Congo Free State have been murdered and eaten by the natives. A Belgian expedition under Lieut. Franquir, was attacked by the natives on February 11. The soldiers hastily formed themselves into a hollow square, upon which the natives rushed with such overwhelming force that the Belgians were put to rout within ten minutes. Shortly afterwards it became known, according to the correspondence alluded to, that a native chief named Nodrumau had massacred Captain Hanson and the whole of his escort, numbering 60 people.

The Times publishes a dispatch from Shanghai which says that several prisoners were executed to-day at Ku Cheng in the presence of the consuls.

A dispatch to the Chronicle from Constantinople says that the British minister's yacht has been under steam for the last 24 hours waiting dispatches for the fleet. Great apprehension is felt among the Turks.

At the foreign office, to-day the report was denied that the Porte had accepted the plan of reform in the administration of affairs in Armenia, which was substituted by the Powers' signatory treaty of Berlin.

The Pall Mall Gazette this afternoon says that a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Baron von Hammerstein upon the charge of having uttered forgeries to the amount of $50,000 on the editor-in-chief of Kreuz Zeitung, the principal organ of the Conservative party in Germany, last July. He is supposed to be in hiding in London.

Vienna, Sept. 18.—The Neue Freie Presse publishes a letter from Baron von Hammerstein, dated at Sistrans, in the Tyrol, declaring that he never sent the alleged extract of his correspondence to the Vorwaerts and that they were fabricated. He adds that he holds the stockholders' receipts for the funds collected on behalf of the Kreuz Zeitung.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
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The fast steamer Schome, Chas. E. Clancey, Master, leaves here every morning, excepting Sundays, at 9 o'clock for Port Townsend and Seattle, arriving at Seattle at 4 p.m., connecting with N. P. R. R. train for the east. Returning she leaves Seattle at 10 p.m. daily, excepting Saturday, arriving here at 6 a.m. Tickets at Northern Pacific Railway office, Government street.

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Miss Frank's Lectures.

The Lectures of Miss Rachel Frank, the talented and eloquent writer and speaker of San Francisco, which have been announced for September 18th and 19th, have been postponed to a later date, which will be announced in due season.

All having secured tickets will have them honored at that time or can have their money refunded from the undersigned.

F. LANDSBERG,
Secretary.

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TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

City Collector's Office.
Victoria, B. C., Aug. 28, 1895.

AUCTION SALES.

Mortgage Sale.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, at his auction rooms, Yates street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 26th day of September, 1895, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, the following property:

All those parcels of land and premises situated in the City of Victoria and known as sub-division numbers 37 and 38 (thirty-seven and thirty-eight) of suburban five acre lot number viii (eight).

On the property, which is situated on North Park street, there is a story and a half frame dwelling house.

For terms and conditions apply to McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD, Vendor's Solicitors, or to GEORGE BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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Firstly: All that piece of land situate in the District of North Saanich, and known and numbered on the official map of said District of North Saanich as Section (2 East Range) 6, North, and containing ninety acres more or less. On the property are a log house and a barn, and ten acres are cleared and under cultivation.

Secondly: All those pieces or parcels of land being in the District of Victoria, and known as Subdivision 19 and the North half of Subdivision 18 of part of Section 4 of Victoria District, saving and excepting thereout a certain piece of land 35 feet square, situate at the north-easterly corner of Subdivision 18, and subject to a right of way along the southern boundary of the property from the Saanich Road to said north-east corner of said Subdivision. The property is unimproved but eminently suitable for building purposes.

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B. C. PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION EXAMINATIONS.

The Semi-Annual Examinations of the above Association, for Apprentice, Clerk, or Licentiate Certificate, take place on October 9th and 10th. Intending candidates must notify the Registrar not later than the 25th inst., enclosing fees.

CHARLES NELSON,
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The Victoria Electric Railway and Lighting Company, Limited.

An Extraordinary meeting of the Shareholders of the Victoria Electric Railway & Lighting Company Limited, will be held at the head office of the Company, in the city of Victoria, on Monday the twenty-third day of September, 1895, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of informing the Shareholders of the position of the Company at the time the Receivers were appointed, for the consideration of statements to be presented by the Directors, and generally the affairs of the Company up to the present time.

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THE RING.

MORE BICKERING.

New York, Sept. 17.—There has been contention among the principals in the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight over the proceeds from side channels of revenue. Fitz. has stated that there was an agreement by which Corbett, Brady and Vendig were to receive the proceeds of the eidoloscope privilege, and has threatened not to fight unless he was given a share. Joe Vendig, of the Florida Athletic Club, says to-night:

"I would like to say, Mr. Brady or Fitzsimmons notwithstanding, that in view of the fact that the Florida Athletic Club has offered Corbett and Fitzsimmons a purse of $41,000 to fight for, that the club feels that if there are privileges from which a profit will be reaped when the fight comes off at Dallas, they belong to the club.

"In reference to the report circulated that I am interested in the matter, and that an eidoloscope will take a picture of the fight at Dallas, I will say that I am not interested in that invention and that the eidoloscope will not be premitted to be brought into the building the day of the fight."

Chicago, Sept. 17.—In sporting circles here it is reported to-night that if Bob Fitzsimmons adheres to his determination to claim a part of the proceeds on the various concessions or refuse to go into the ring there is a probability that the big fight between him and Corbett will not take place at all. Dan Stuart says that the picture privilege had been sold to W. A. Brady when the articles of agreement were signed. The other privileges are his own, and he would not surrender a part of them to any one, no matter what the consequences.

THEY MAY MEET.

Dallas, Tex., Sept. 18.—The Corbett-Fitzsimmons match will possibly come off in this city after all. In the test glove contest case before Judge Hurt of the court of criminal appeals he held to-day that there is no law in Texas against prize fighting.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—The following was received this evening: "Dallas, Tex., Sept. 17.—To L. M. Houseman, Inter-Ocean, Chicago: The highest criminal court in the state of Texas has just decided that there is no law against prize fighting. There is, therefore, nothing to prevent the great contest taking place as advertised. Dan A. Stewart, president Florida Athletic Club."

FOOTBALL.

The "gunroom" officers of H.M.S. Royal Arthur and the Victoria College team will try conclusions in an Association football match to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on Beacon Hill.

An exciting game is expected, both eleven's being very evenly matched. The following eleven will represent the college. Wilson, Goward, Green, Wilson, Lawson, Kitts, Wilson, Pooley, Trimen and Lawson.

THE TURF.

At Helena last week All Smoke, the Calgary horse which did well on the coast last year, was victorious over Cracker Jack in the mile and a half run.

Ottawa News.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—A bombshell has been thrown into the ranks of separate school supporters by an intimation received from Brother Superior Flamieu, of Montreal, notifying the board that the Christian brothers would be withdrawn from the Catholic school on October 1, because the board had broken its contract with the Brothers.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—Prof. Wiggins says that the outcome of the present cold snap here will be snow in northern Quebec, the Canadian Northwest and the Northwestern States. Sir Leonard Tilley, when minister of finance, put a stop to Wiggins' prophesying, and Foster may also do so.

—Wire cloth for screen doors, meat safes, etc. Shore's hardware.

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PRIZE LIST CORRECTION.

To the Editor—I notice that in your list of prizes awarded, my name appears as having received second for patching. This is incorrect, as I have no entry of that description, and have never had.

MRS. C. JONES.

261 Johnson street, Victoria, Sept. 18.

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PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Sehome from the Sound—L Rosenheim, Geo E Adams, Mrs Adams, C L Lowry, Mrs M Grear, L Rostein, Jas Garrick.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—Miss Melbourne, Mrs Broadrick, Mrs Stinson, J A Dummitt, F Cruther, J H Rogers, F C Brown, F Jones, S Peterson, J Johnson.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in the several mortgages relating thereto, which several mortgages will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by George Byrnes, Auctioneer, at his Auction Rooms, Yates Street, Victoria, on

Wednesday, the Second Day of October, 1895,

at the hour of 11 o'clock, in the forenoon, the following properties:—

SUBDIVISON 8 OF SUBURBAN LOT XVII., as shown on Map No. 153, filed in the Land Registry Office, Victoria. This property is situated on the north side of Caledonia Avenue, midway between Cook and Chambers streets, and on it is a large two-story Frame Dwelling House with a brick basement.

LOTS 27 AND 28 BLOCK ELEVEN, OAK Bay, acording to Map 379, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District, situated on the Todd property near Oak Bay. On the property is a 1 1-2 story Frame Cottage in good repair.

LOTS 10 AND 11, BLOCK ELEVEN, according to said Map 379, and being part of Sections 2 and 61, Victoria District. On this property is a two story Frame Dwelling House in good repair.

SUBDIVISION LOTS 5, 6, 7, AND 8 OF Lot 3, Block 1, being a portion of Section 74, Victoria District, according to Map No. 254, filed in the Land Registry Office. This property is situated between Oak Bay Avenue and Cadboro Bay Road, and is highly suitable for building.

LOTS 1014 AND 1015, VICTORIA CITY. These lots are situated on the North East corner of Vancouver and Fort Streets, and on the property is a large cottage.

LEASEHOLD PREMISES, BEING THAT portion of Lot 22, Victoria City, described as commencing on the Southern boundary of said Lot, 2 feet from the South East corner of Lot number 21, thence along Yates Street 42 feet in an Easterly direction, thence North at right angles 120 feet, thence West at right angles 42 feet, thence South 120 feet to the point of commencement. This property is situated on Yates Street, near Douglas, and was leased for the term of 15 years from the 1st November, 1886, at the monthly rental of $40.00, leaving an unexpired term of 6 years from the 1st of November next. On the property are a large store and lodging house, also a brick ware house.

LOT 906, VICTORIA CITY. THIS LOT is situated on the corner of Yates and Cook Streets, and on it is a large two story Frame Dwelling House.

SECTION 1, RANGE 1, WEST, NORTH Saanich, containing 100 acres more or less, said to be covered with fine merchantable cedar.

PART OF SUBDIVISION 4, SECTION 85, Victoria District, known as Lot 8, Gordon Head Grove, as per Map 845.

THOSE PORTIONS OF SECTION 69 and of Subdivisions 6 and 11 of Section 28, Victoria District, described as follows: Commencing at the point of intersection of the Westerly boundary of said Section 29 and the Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road, thence following the said Northern boundary of Cadboro Bay Road 11.79 chains, thence North 44.30, West, 4.76 chains, thence Westerly at an angle of 75 degrees, 30 minutes, 9.67 chains to Westerly boundary of said Section 28, thence following said Westerly boundary of Section 28 and the Westerly boundary of Section 29 to the point of commencement, containing 5 1-4 acres, more or less. On this property, which is situated on the Cadboro Bay Road, opposite the junction of the said Road with the Foul Bay Road, are a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, a two roomed Cottage, and a stable and outhouses.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in those parts of section VII., Victoria District, described as Lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 25 and 30, on the plan of Clover dale (Tolmie) Estate deposited in the Land Registry Office, at Victoria, No. 51, excepting off the frontage of Lots 2, 3, 5, and 11 on on Culduthel Road, Lot 7, on Whittlef Avenue and Lot 30 on Burns Avenue, a strip 10 feet in width which is reserved for widening the said highways.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in those portions of Section IV., Victoria District, known as Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5 Block XVI, Hillside Extension B of the Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office No. 240, and in Blocks 1, 9 and 32, of said Section 4, as per plan deposited in the Land Registry office No. 263, and in lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in the said Land Registry Office, No. 35a.

A FURTHER UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH interest in Lots 4, 5, 11, 13 and 14, Block XV., and Lots 1 and 5, Block XVI., Hillside Extension B of Work Estate, according to the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 240, and in Lots 1, 9, and 32 of said Section IV., as per plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 263, and in Lots 14 and 15, Block T, Work Estate, as per plan deposited in said Land Registry Office, No. 35a.

LOTS 1352, 1365 AND 1366, VICTORIA City, situated on Erie Street, and having a deep water frontage on the Outer harbor. This is a valuable property, adjoining leading industries.

LOT 120, GROUP 1, NEW WESTMINSTER District. This property immediately adjoins the city limits of Vancouver.

LOT 31 OF SECTION 23 AND 24, BECKley Farm. On this property are two five roomed Cottages. This property is rented steadily at a good rental.

LOTS 4 AND THE WEST HALF OF LOT 5, Section 61, Spring Ridge, excepting thereout the Westerly 7 feet 10 1-2 inch, of the said Westerly half of said lot 5. On this property are four two story double frame dwellings, containing 8 tenancies, partially let at good rentals.

THAT PART OF SECTION 17, VICTORIA District, now Victoria City, as the same is shown on the plan deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, number 162, save and except Lots 1, 5, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21. This property is situated at the junction of Government and Douglas Streets, being bounded by those streets and by Bay Street; it comprises, exclusive of those above excepted, 25 Lots, well situated for building purposes.

LOT 22, BLOCK F, STRAWBERRY Vale, according to Map 361, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria.

LOT 86, GROUP 2, NEW WESTMINSTER District, with Dwellings and Barns, and mostly all under cultivation.

LOT 35, WORK ESTATE, ACCORDING to Map 263, filed in the Land Registry Office, being part of Section IV., Victoria District, and now in the City of Victoria, containing 5 39-100 acres, more or less, excepting out of said Lot 25, Lot 29 according to the subdivision thereof, as shown by Map 378, filed in said Land Registry Office. This property is situated on the corner of Cook Street and King's Road, and extends to Eighth Street on the East, and is bounded on the South by the Northern boundary of Lot 40. It is subdivided and comprises 34 Lots in all, one of which, Lot 29 is already sold.

SUBDIVISION LOT 6 OF CITY LOTS 955, 1304, 1305, 1306, 1307, 1308 and 1309, according to Map deposited in the Land Registry Office, No. 315.

SUBDIVISION 16 OF FIVE ACRE LOT number XII., in the City of Victoria. On this property is a 6 roomed Frame Cottage, and is situated on the South side of Chatham street, just below Cook; now let to a good tenant at $10 per month.

LOT NO. 7, ON GRAHAM ISLAND, Queen Charlotte District, at Massett, containing 1015 acres more or less, with buildings and improvements; partly cultivated. This is the property of the Rev. Charles Harrison.

LOT 16, OAKLAND ESTATE, PART OF Sections 29 and 30, Victoria District, and containing 3 3-4 acres, more or less. On this property is situated a Frame Dwelling House and outbuildings.

LOT 47, HIGHLAND DISTRICT, CONtaining 161 acres. Lot 22, Highland District, containing 165 acres. Section 44, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 45, Range 1 West, South Saanich. Section 15, Range 2 West, South Saanich. Together with right of way through Section 15, Range 1 East, from the West Saanich Road to and from the said property. On these properties are well developed lime quarries with kilns.

ALL THAT PORTION OF LOT 1195 having a frontage of the whole Lot, saving the Westerly 12 feet thereof, and having a depth of 77 feet 6 inches; with two story Dwelling House, let at a fair rental.

SECTION 6 AND 7, RANGE 2, COMIAKen District, in the Province of British Columbia, containing 160 acres, more or less with a two story Dwelling.

SUBDIVISION 16 AND 17 OF LOTS 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790 and 1791, according to Map filed in the Land Registry Office, No. 175. Close to new Government Building and highly desirable for building purposes.

THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 29, Township 1, Barclay District.

THOSE PORTIONS OF LOTS 182 AND 183, Vancouver District, being an undivided 1-4 interest of and in Subdivision J, of Lot 182, and Subdivision D of Lot 183, said Subdivision J containing 3 61-100 acres; and said Subdivision D containing 13 13-100 acres, more or less, all in the city of Vancouver.

PART OF BLOCK N PEMBERTON ESTate, in the city of Victoria, and containing one acre. On this property is a large two story Frame and Concrete Dwelling, also outbuildings, etc.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section XI., Lake District, Vancouver Island, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 15 acres.

PART OF VICTORIA CITY LOTS 1296, 1280 and 1281, commencing at a point on the West line of Montreal Street, 66 feet North from the South East corner of Lot 1280, thence running Northerly along the Western line of Montreal Street 110 feet, thence at right angles Westerly to the water, thence along the water in a Southerly direction to a point in Lot 1281, from which a line extended in an Easterly direction and parallel with the Northern boundary of said land, will strike the point of commencement. On this property is a fine two story Dwelling House, with all modern conveniences. The property has a deep water frontage on Victoria harbor.

PART OF SECTION 19 AND 20, RANGE VIII., Quamichan District, described as started at a post planted on the shore of Quamichan Lake, 4 chains South of the Northern boundary of said District, thence in a South Westerly direction to a point on Range line 7 and Six said District, 7 chains South of the North boundary, thence due South 13 chains to corner post Section 19 and 20, Range 7 and 8, thence in a South Easterly direction to a post planted on West bank of Quamichan Creek, thence 3 9-10 chains North to Lake shore, thence following Lake shore to point of commencement, containing 58 6-10 acres; more or less. With a summer residence; fine shooting and fishing in the immediate neighborhood.

THE WEST HALF OF SECTION 14, and the East half of Section 15, Township 4, Barclay District, containing 640 acres, more or less.

THE NORTH HALF OF SECTION 29, Township No. 1, said Barclay District, containing 194 acres, more or less.

LOT 463, GROUP 1, NEW WESTMINster District, containing 300 acres, more or less.

AN UNDIVIDED ONE-FIFTH INTEREST in that portion of Section 62, Victoria District, lying to the West of the Saanich Road, and containing 177 acres. The greatest portion of this land is under cultivation and rents for from $400 to $500 per annum.

ALSO AT THE SAME PLACE AND IMmediately after the sale of the properties aforesaid, there will be offered for sale the SCHOONER ARIEL. This schooner is 30.95 tons register, carvel built, 72 feet in length, 20 feet in breadth, and has a depth of hold of 7 feet. Was built in St. Johns, N.B., in 1869.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD,
Solicitors for the Mortgagees,

and to—

GEORGE BYRNES, Auctioneer,

Dated September 14th, 1895.